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## Births.

[illegible].—October 5, 1902, at 12 Warwick-street, Stanmore, to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Israel—a son.

## Marriages.

CARPENTER—COOPER.—October 18, 1902, at St. Paul's Church, Redfern, by the Rev. F. B. Boyce, Ernest Robert, second son of William Henry Carpenter, of Ashfield, to Lilian Evlyn, only daughter of Colin Cooper, of Redfern.

LE VITUS—FOLGER.—September 20, at Melbourne, by the Rev. F. Warner, Ernest Le Vitus, Ph.D., to Helen Maud Folger, daughter of F. Folger, Esq., California, U.S.A.

[illegible]—CHEE.—September 10th, at St. John's Cathedral, Hongkong, by the Rev. F. S. Johnstone, [illegible] Eddington, only son of Major C. E. Villiers [illegible] (late 2nd Life Guards), and the Hon. Mrs. [illegible], of Bradford and Brentwood, and nephew of Lord Masham, to Gwen, eldest daughter of Dang Chee, of Hongkong and Tumut, N. S. Wales.

## Deaths

COOPER.—October 21, Jennie, the beloved wife of William [illegible] Coutts, of Collins-street, Tempe, after a painful illness, aged 48 years. "For ever with the Lord."

GRAHAM.—October 21st, at her residence, Burwood-road, Burwood, Mrs. William Graham, senr., of Newry, Ireland, aged 79 years.

JOHNSTONE.—October 18th, at the residence of her parents, 6 Albert-street, Paddington, Elizabeth Christina (Chrissie), dearly beloved only daughter of Andrew and Esther Johnstone, of tubercular meningitis, aged 7 years and 10 months.

SMITH.—October 21, 1902, at her late residence, Avoca Cottage, George-street, Rockdale, Mary Ann, beloved mother of Mr. Thomas Lloyd Smith, aged 77 years. By request, no flowers.

TWOHILL.—October 21, at her late residence, Elizabeth-street, Zetland Estate, Waterloo, Ellen Twohill, relict of the late David Twohill, after and long and painful illness. New Zealand and Melbourne papers please copy.

WEST.—October 21, at his residence, Waratah, 37 Wigram-road, Glebe Point, John West, in his 75th year, for over [illegible] years connected with the New South Wales Rifle Association. By request, no flowers.

WILHELMSEN.—October 20, at 239 Park-road, Sydney, Ludwig Wilhelmsen, late of Nowra, aged 32 years.

## In Memoriam.

DALY.—In loving memory of my dear daughter and our sister, Mary Daly, who departed this life, October 22, 1901. R.I.P. Inserted by her loving father and mother.

HEWITT.—In loving memory of my dear husband, John Hewitt, and also son of Mrs. Benjamin Hewitt, of Carey-street, who departed this life October 22, 1899. Inserted by his loving wife, Jane B. Hewitt.

KEMISTER.—In sad but loving remembrance of my dear son and brother, John Kemister, who departed this life October 22, 1899.

We think of thee in silence,
No eye can see us weep;
But loving in our bosom
Thy memory we will keep.

Inserted by his loving mother and brother, Mary and Alfred Kemister.

MYERS.—In sad but loving memory of Jack, eldest son of E. P. Myers, of 44 Denison-street, Woollahra, who departed this life Monday, October 22nd, 1900, aged 17 years.

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| | | 1902. | 1902. | 1902. |
| Australien | Verron | Oct. 27 | October 30 | Nov. 1 |
| Polynesien | Charbonnel | Nov. 24 | Nov. 27 | Nov. 29 |
| V. de la Ciotat | Fiaschi | Dec. 22 | December 25 | Dec. 27 |
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| | | | 1902. |
| *INDIA | 7911 | F. W. Vibert, R.N.R. | Oct. 29 |
| OCEANA | 6603 | E. Street | Nov. 15 |
| AUSTRALIA | 6901 | F. J. Cole | Nov. 29 |
| VICTORIA | 6527 | E. Crewe | Dec. 13 |
| HIMALAYA | 6898 | W. L. Broun, R.N.R. | Dec. 27 |
| BRITANNIA | 6525 | F. H. Seymour | Jan. 10 |
| ROME | 5545 | J. Paine, R.N.R. | Jan. 24 |
| ARCADIA | 6663 | F. C. A. Lyon, R.N.R. | Feb. 7 |

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| *RHEIN | 10,058 | G. Bott | Nov. 8 | Nov. 15 |
| *KONIGIN LUISE | 10,711 | O. Volger | Nov. 29 | Dec. 6 |
| *BARBAROSSA | 10,915 | F. Mentz | Dec. 20 | Dec. 27 |
| *G. KURFURST | 13,182 | Reimkasten | Jan. 10 | Jan. 17 |
| *P. R. LUITPOLD | 6,288 | Oesselmann | Jan. 31 | Feb. 7 |
| *FRIEDRICH D. G. | 10,568 | M. Eichel | Feb. 21 | Feb. 28 |
| *BREMEN | 11,570 | R. Nierich | Mar. 14 | Mar. 21 |
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| *VICTORIA | 5349 | T. Taylor | Nov. 8 | Nov. 11 | Nov. 13 |
| ORIZABA | 6297 | R. Archer | Nov. 22 | Nov. 25 | Nov. 27 |
| OROYA | 6297 | W. J. Jenks | Dec. 6 | Dec. 9 | Dec. 11 |
| *ORONTES | 9000 | J. F. Ruthven | Dec. 20 | Dec. 23 | Dec. 25 |
| ORUBA | 5857 | W. H. Burgoin | Jan. 3 | Jan. 6 | Jan. 8 |
| AUSTRAL | 5524 | C. Nicholson | Jan. 17 | Jan. 20 | Jan. 22 |
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| ADELAIDE, WALLAROO, PORT PIRIE, PORT AUGUSTA | Burrumbeet, Tuesday, Oct. 28, 5 p.m. |
| FREMANTLE (transhipping for Geraldton) | Burrumbeet, Tuesday, Oct. 28, 5 p.m. No transhipment. |
| BRISBANE, MARYBOROUGH, BUNDABERG, ROCKHAMPTON | Peregrine, Saturday, Oct. 25, 2 p.m. Bunlayong, Tuesday, Oct. 28, 5 p.m. Leura, Saturday, Nov. 1, 2 p.m. |
| GLADSTONE, MACKAY, TOWNSVILLE | Peregrine, Saturday, Oct. 25, 2 p.m. Leura, Saturday, Nov. 1, 2 p.m. |
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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of ALLAN DOUGLASS BELL, late of Falcon-street, North Sydney, in the State of New South Wales, Stonemason, deceased.—NOTICE is hereby given that the Accounts in the above Estate have this day been filed in my office, Chancery-square, Sydney, and all persons having any claim on the said Estate, or being otherwise interested therein, are hereby required to come in before me at my said office on or before the third day of December, at 10.45 o'clock in the forenoon, and inspect the same, and if they shall think fit object thereto; otherwise if the said accounts be not objected to the same will be examined by me and passed according to law. Dated this 21st day of October, in the year 1902. R. C. MONDAY (L.S.), Acting Registrar. CURTISS and BARRY, Proctors for the Executor, 167 King-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of ISABELLA ANNE ABBEY, late of Petersham, near Sydney, in the State of New South Wales, Widow, deceased.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Probate of the last Will of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to JAMES CLANAN MARR (in the said Will called James C. Marr), the sole Executor named in the said Will, and all notices may be served at the office of the undersigned. J. STUART THOM, Proctor for the Executor, Athenaeum-chambers, 6 Castlereagh-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of MARIE PERRAUD, late of 128 Macquarie-street, Sydney, in the State of New South Wales, Widow, deceased.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Probate of the last Will of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to JEANNE MARIE PERRAUD and the Honourable JOHN HUGHES, the Executrix and Executor named in the said Will, and all notices may be served on the undersigned. HUGHES and HUGHES, Proctors for the Executrix and Executor, 26 Hunter-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Estate of ELLEN HURST, late of Hay, in the State of New South Wales, Married Woman, deceased, intestate.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Administration of the Estate of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to WILLIAM HURST, the Widower of the said deceased; and all notices may be served at the offices of Messrs. PIGOTT and STINSON, Solicitors, 28 Castlereagh-street, Sydney. ALEXANDER and WINDEYER, Riverina-chambers, Hay.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of DAVID CALDWELL, late of Goulburn, in the State of New South Wales, Enginedriver, deceased.—All persons having any claims against the Estate of the abovenamed deceased are hereby required to send in particulars of same to the undersigned on or before the 4th day of November next. Dated this 21st day of October, 1902. JOHNSON and SENDALL, Proctors for the Executrix, Goulburn.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of JANET HARRIET LOWE, late of Albury, in the State of New South Wales, Married Woman, deceased.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Probate of the last Will of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to ERNEST OSCAR LOWE and ALFRED MAXWELL, the Executors named in the said Will; and all notices may be served at the offices of the undersigned, EMERSON and TIETYENS, Proctors, Dean-street, Albury. By S. M. QUINLAN, 44 Castlereagh-street, Sydney.

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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of FREDERICK GEORGE SPRINGTHORPE, late of Gordon, near Sydney, in the State of New South Wales, Manufacturers' Agent, deceased.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Probate of the last Will and Testament of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to AGNES SPRINGTHORPE, the sole Executrix in the said Will named. And all notices may be served at the offices of the undersigned. Dated this twenty-first day of October, A.D. 1902. ROLIN and GILDER, Proctors for the Executrix, 92 Pitt-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of MAURICE O'CONNOR, late of Hume's Island, Shoalhaven, in the State of New South Wales, Farmer, deceased.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Probate of the last Will of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to PETER WALSH and JOHN CAFFREY, the Executors named in the said Will; and all notices may be served at the office of the undersigned. And all persons having any claim against the Estate of the said deceased are requested to send notice of the particulars thereof at once as aforesaid. F. A. LE POER TRENCH, Proctor, Nowra. By his agent: C. T. POOLE, 108 Pitt-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction. In the Will of JOHN AUSTEN, late of Victoria-street, Alexandria, near Sydney, in the State of New South Wales, Employee in the City Council, deceased.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Probate of the Will and codicil of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to ELIZABETH AUSTEN, Widow of the said deceased, and HENRY DAVIS, Solicitor, the Executrix and Executor therein named; and all notices may be served at the office of HENRY DAVIS, Proctor for the Applicants, Bull's-chambers, 14 Moore-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Estate of HENRY SMITH, late of Eveleigh-street, Redfern, near Sydney, in the State of New South Wales, Boilermaker, deceased.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Administration of the Estate of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to CHARLES HENRY SMITH, a son of the said deceased; and all notices may be served at the office of the undersigned. And all persons having any claim against the Estate of the abovenamed deceased are requested to send particulars of same to the undersigned. HENRY DAVIS, Proctor for the Applicant, Bull's-chambers, 13 Moore-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Estate of FRANCES ELIZABETH SMITH, late of Eveleigh-street, Redfern, near Sydney, in the State of New South Wales, deceased.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Administration of the Estate of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to CHARLES HENRY SMITH, a son of the said deceased; and all notices may be served at the office of the undersigned. And all persons having any claim against the Estate of the abovenamed deceased are requested to send particulars of same to the undersigned. HENRY DAVIS, Proctor for the Applicant, Bull's-chambers, 14 Moore-street, Sydney.

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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of HENRY GEORGE COCKERTON, late of Newtown, near Sydney, in the State of New South Wales, Chemist, deceased.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Probate of the last Will of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to CHARLOTTE COCKERTON, the sole Executrix named in the said Will, and all notices may be served at the office of H. WHITE, Solicitor, 80a Pitt-street, Sydney. H. WHITE, Proctor for the Executrix, 80a Pitt-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES. Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of MARY JANE ANDERSON, late of Drummoyne, near Sydney, in the State of New South Wales, Married Woman, deceased, intestate.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Administration of the Estate of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to JOHN ANDERSON, of Drummoyne, Stevedore, the Husband of the said deceased; and all notices may be served at the office of the undersigned, to whom all creditors are to send in their claims within the time above limited. ALFRED SYDNEY BOULTON, Proctor for the Applicant, Bull's-chambers, 14 Moore-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of CATHERINE BREEN, late of Reservoir-street, Surry Hills, Sydney, in the State of New South Wales, Married Woman, deceased.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Probate of the last Will of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to THOMAS EDWARD MURPHY and MICHAEL BREEN, the Executors named in the said Will; and all notices may be served at the office of the undersigned. THOMAS EDWARD MURPHY, Proctor for Executors, 91 Elizabeth-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of ANNE RYAN, late of Harper's Hill, near Lochinvar, in the State of New South Wales, Widow, deceased.—Application will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Probate of the last Will of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to HUGH JOSEPH MONAGHAN and CHARLES KEYS, the Executors named in the said Will; and all notices may be served at the office of the undersigned. JOHN KENNEDY, Proctor for Executors, West Maitland. By his Agents, Messrs. SULLIVAN BROS., 375 George-street, Sydney.

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LOST, a HORSE branded J. T., Sunday week, reward. T. Bailey, 9 Foster-st.

LEFT on N. Shore Wharf (Sydney) Parcel, cont. pair Lady's Shoes. Please return 20 Victoria-st., N. Syd.

LOST, in or near King-st., small PURSE, nickel top, Yale keys, silver. Reward. Counter Clerk, Herald.

LOST a Gold NECKLET and Heart, near Art Gallery. 5s reward. 44 Reiby-st., Newtown.

LOST, corner George-st. and Market-st., Pocketbook, stamp. C.P.B.A.; rew. B. Mountcastle, 326 George-st.

LOST, betw. Melba's Concert and M'Mahon's Pt., Mon. night, G. Brooch; rew. Thermopylae, M'Mah. Pt.

LOST, 2 small Brooches, one heart, one amethyst, betw. Foy's and Wm.-st.; rew. Moore, Sons, Edgec.

LOST, between Oxford and King sts. Cable Bangle, medal attached. Reward. 70 Oxford-st., Paddington.

LOST, Neutral Bay, Sable-and-white COLLIE (bitch). Reward. Detainer prosecuted. 23 Aubin-st.

LOST, PONY, yesterday morning, small, dark, round. Reward, Slade, Alt-st. and Parramatta-rd., Ashfield.

LOST, from 137 Wells-st., Redfern, Sable-and-White Collie DOG, blue eyes. Detainer prosecuted. Reward.

LOST, Gold BROOCH, 6 p.m. tram Shadforth to Bridge-st. Reward. R. B. Pitt, 94 Walker-st., N. Sydney.

LOST, Cricket Shield, between Fort Macquarie and Paddington. Return R. Hall, 3 Walter-st., Padd'ton.

LOST, Railway Season TICKET; Reward. A. J. Riley, 570 George-st., or Park-rd., Burwood.

LOST, Gold BROOCH, one diam., btwn. Grafton-st. E. and Bondi Junct.; rwd. 9 Grafton-st. E., Woollahra.

LOST, Petersham, Silv. Badge, Lyre-shape, gold strings, letters M. L. Rew. All Saints' D. School, Petersham.

LOST at Diocesan Festival, Lava Cameo BRACELET, set in gold; reward. 267 Cleveland-st., Redfern.

LOST, a Bunch of KEYS. Reward. W. W. Bucknell, Lands Titles Office, Sydney.

LOST, pair Gold SPECTACLES in case. Reward on return Scott, Henderson, and Co., 6-8 Loftus-st., Syd.

LOST, the Morning Headache, now that I stick to DICKENS' WHISKY.

LOST, Double-scull SKIFF, Friday night, varnished topsides, white bottom, name Beckie. Reward, 10s. Apply R.M.S. India.

LOST, in or near Augustus-street, Enmore, Black BAG, containing watch and chain, with season ticket attached, and Purse with money. Reward on returning to Federal Flour Mills, Newtown.

LOST, between Australia Hotel and Darling Point, probably at top of William-street, Gold and Pearl BANGLE; reward. Apply
MOORE and SONS, News Agents, Darling Point.

LOST on Wednesday night, between Surreyville and Alexandria, a Gold Curb Cable BRACELET; also LOST on Saturday night between Market-street and Alexandria, via Strawberry Hills, a gold Bangle set with Amethyst. A good reward will be given in each case upon return, to Miss L. Blakey, 130 Henderson-rd., Alexandria.

REWARD, 10s.—LOST, Pug DOG, near on hind leg, answers name Jack. 332 Crown-st., Surry Hills.

REWARD.—LOST, Lizard Skin Bag PURSE, small purse inside, with half-sovereign, silver, keys, other articles, bet. Cook's River Dam and Wollongong-road, Arncliffe. F. GIBBINS, 88 Sussex-street.

BALMAIN Pound.—Bay Pony, J ov. E nr. shoulder, white spots under saddle. Sold 6th Nov. not released.

FOUND, some MONEY, at the Trocadero Cafe.

FOUND, White POODLE. Owner can have by calling at 258 Oxford-st., Woollahra, opp. Denison-st.

FOUND a Gold RING, owner have same by paying expenses. 29 Talford-st., Glebe.

STRAYED on to my premises, sable-and-white Collie SLUT. F. Dixon, 35 Wellington-st., Waterloo.

## Tenders.

(Continued from page 5.)

BUILDERS' Ironmongery, rd. pt. Shovels, 18s d., Picks, 18s doz., Crow Bars, 40lb. Macintosh, 307 Pitt-st.

TENDERS are inv. entire Painting Cottage at Tempe, nr. stn. Partics. P. J. Aylward, Royal Hotel, Geo.-st.

TENDERS wanted Painting and Repairs brick villa, Flemington. F. E. Dixon, 247 George-st.

TENDERS wanted Build Weatherboard Cottages, &c., labour only. 240 Norton-st., Leichhardt.

TO Excavators.—Tenders wanted for Trenches, at per cubic yard. J. Yeo, Old Canterbury-rd., Summer Hill.

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CREAM TAFFETA VOILE, 42-inch to 44-inch — 1s 9d, 1s 11d, to 2s 9d per yard.
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CREAM CANVAS VOILE, 46-inch — 2s 9d, 3s 11d per yard.
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|---|---|---|---|---|
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| Width | 90 | 100 | 108 inches |
|---|---|---|---|
| Per yard | 1s 1d, 1s 2d, 1s 3½d, 1s 6½d, 1s 10d, 2s 3d | 1s 6½d, 1s 9d, 2s 3d, 2s 6d | 1s 10d, 2s 3d, 2s 11d, 3s 3d |

LINEN FINISH SHEETING. PLAIN OR TWILL.

| Width | 54 | 72 | 80 | 90 | 100 | 108 in. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Per yard | 1s | 1s 3d | 1s 6d | 1s 9d | 1s 11d | 2s 1½d |

PURE IRISH LINEN SHEETING.

| Width | 72 | 80 inches |
|---|---|---|
| Per yard | 2s 1½d, 2s 6d, 3s 3d | 2s 9d, 3s 6d, 4s 6d |

| Width | 90 | 100 inches |
|---|---|---|
| Per yard | 3s 3d, 3s 6d, 5s 6d | 3s 9d, 4s 6d, 6s |

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GREY SHEETING. PLAIN.

| Width | 60 | 72 inches |
|---|---|---|
| Per yard | 6d, 8d, 9d, 10½d | 8d, 10½d, 1s 1d, 1s 3d |

| Width | 80 | 90 inches |
|---|---|---|
| Per yard | 11d, 1s, 1s 3d, 1s 4½d, 1s 6d | 1s 1d, 1s 3d, 1s 4½d, 1s 6½d, 1s 9d |

GREY SHEETING. SUPER TWILL.

| Width | 60 | 72 inches |
|---|---|---|
| Per yard | 8d, 10d, 11d | 8d, 10½d, 1s 0½d, 1s 2½d |

| Width | 80 | 90 inches |
|---|---|---|
| Per yard | 8½d, 1s 1d, 1s 3d, 1s 4½d | 11½d, 1s 4d, 1s 5d, 1s 6½d |

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## Meetings.

ELECTORS OF SOUTH SYDNEY.

Mr. GEO. B. EDWARDS
will Address the Electors on the Subject
of
"THE FIRST FEDERAL PARLIAMENT,"
REDFERN TOWN HALL, THIS EVENING, at 8 o'clock.
NEWTOWN TOWN HALL, THURSDAY, 8 p.m.
Ladies are Specially Invited.

AUSTRALIAN Natives' Association.—Opening Leichhardt Branch, Town Hall, Leichhardt, To-night, 8.

ILLAWARRA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

A Half-yearly General MEETING of Proprietors in this Company will be held at the Royal Exchange, Sydney, on WEDNESDAY, the 29th October, at 11.30 a.m.,—
To receive a Report from the Board.
And for the transaction of such other Business as may be brought before the meeting in terms of the Deed of Settlement.
By order of the Board,
HUBERT MANNING,
Managing Director.
I.S.N. Company's Offices,
27th September, 1902.

EASTERN SUBURBS DAIRYMAN'S ASSOCIATION.—MEETING TO-NIGHT, at Grand Hotel, Waverley, at 8 o'clock. Business important.
M. DICKIE, Secretary.

NO. 16 A.P.—MEETING TO-NIGHT, Palmer-st. Hall, 7.30 p.m. Visitors invited.

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TO-DAY, WEDNESDAY, Trains will leave Sydney at 9.5 a.m. and Milson's Point at 8.50 a.m. On arrival at Hawkesbury the steamer GENERAL GORDON will take passengers up the river to Windsor, there connecting with the 7.40 p.m. train, due Sydney at 9.6 p.m.

TO-MORROW, THURSDAY, Train will leave Sydney at 9.25 a.m. for Windsor, and the steamer will proceed down the river to Hawkesbury, passengers taking the 6.35 p.m. train, due Sydney at 8.5 p.m.

CHEAP RETURN FARES from Sydney and Suburban Stations (including Steamer Trip):—First-class, 10s 6d; Second-class, 8s 6d; available for return on day of issue, or within one week.

Refreshments can be obtained on board the steamer at reasonable rates.

**MELBA CONCERT, TOWN HALL, SYDNEY.**

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 23.

TO-MORROW, THURSDAY, the 6.41 p.m. local train Hornsby to Strathfield, will be extended to Sydney, call at Burwood, and reach Sydney 7.35 p.m.

The 10.30 p.m. local train, Strathfield to Hornsby (and which conveys passengers leaving Sydney by the 10.30 p.m. train), will start from Sydney at 10.35 p.m., calling at Burwood, Strathfield, and all stations thence to Hornsby.

A SPECIAL TRAIN, connecting with the 11 p.m. ordinary Train from Sydney, will leave Parramatta for Richmond at 11.55 p.m., calling at all stations and platforms, and arrive at Richmond at 1.3 a.m., Friday morning.

**SPECIAL CHEAP EXCURSIONS.**

OCTOBER, 1902.

TO THE COUNTRY.

SPECIAL CHEAP EXCURSION TICKETS at 1½d per mile First-class Return (minimum 7s 6d), and 1d per mile Second-class Return (minimum 5s) will be issued at Sydney and intermediate suburban stations, and also stations outside the Metropolitan Suburban area to stations beyond on the respective lines by the following trains from Sydney:—

The Tickets will be available for Return for one calendar month from date of issue by trains as specified on Handbills and Posters.

TO THE NORTHERN LINE AND BRANCHES.

To stations Woy Woy and beyond, at 12.55 p.m. on MONDAY, 27th OCTOBER.

TO THE WESTERN LINE.

To main line stations beyond Wallerawang and to the Blayney-Cowra, Grenfell, Forbes, Warren, Cobar, and Brewarrina Branch Lines, at 3.0 p.m., on MONDAY, 27th OCTOBER.

To stations on the Condobolin Line, at 7.30 p.m. on TUESDAY, 28th OCTOBER.

To Springwood, to stations Lawson to Wallerawang inclusive, and to the Mudgee Line, at 7.52 a.m. on THURSDAY, 30th OCTOBER.

TO THE SOUTHERN LINE.

To main line stations Douglas Park to Albury, and to the Cooma, Crookwell, Harden-Cowra, Gundagai, Temora, South-western, and Finley Branch Lines, at 6.55 p.m. on THURSDAY, 30th OCTOBER.

To stations on the Koorawatha-Grenfell and The Rock-Lockhart Branches, by the Mail train leaving Sydney at 8.50 p.m. on FRIDAY, 31st OCTOBER.

To stations on the Culcairn-Germanton Line by the 7.15 p.m. Melbourne Express on THURSDAY, 30th OCTOBER.

To stations on the Culcairn-Corowa Line by the 7.15 p.m. Melbourne Express on FRIDAY, 31st OCTOBER.

FROM THE COUNTRY.

Similar Cheap Tickets will also be issued at country stations to Sydney and intermediate stations by trains as under:—

FROM THE NORTHERN AND NORTH-WESTERN LINES.

From all stations Jennings to Woy Woy, including Branch Lines (except stations Inverell to Mungie Bundie), on TUESDAY, 28th OCTOBER.

From stations Inverell to Mungie Bundie, on WEDNESDAY, 29th OCTOBER.

| Stations. | | Times. | Return Fares to Sydney. 1st Class. | 2nd Class. |
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| | | | s d | s d |
| Jennings | Dep. | 11.45 a.m., Tues., 28th Oct. | 61 3 | 40 10 |
| Armidale | " | 6.35 p.m., " " | 44 9 | 29 10 |
| Moree | " | 5.0 p.m., " " | 51 8 | 34 5 |
| Murrurundi | " | 11.15 a.m., " " | 27 9 | 18 1 |
| Singleton | " | 2.5 p.m., " " | 18 5 | 12 3 |
| Newcastle | " | 4.35 p.m., " " | 12 9 | 8 6 |

FROM THE WESTERN LINE.

From stations Bourke to Minore, inclusive, and from the Brewarrina, Cobar, and Warren Lines, on MONDAY, 27th OCTOBER.

From stations on the Forbes, Condobolin, Blayney-Cowra and Grenfell Lines on TUESDAY, 28th OCTOBER.

From stations Dubbo to Orton Park, inclusive, on WEDNESDAY, 29th OCTOBER.

From stations Bathurst to Lawson inclusive, and from Springwood, on THURSDAY, 30th OCTOBER.

From stations on the Mudgee Line on FRIDAY, 31st OCTOBER.

| Stations. | | Times. | Return Fares to Sydney. 1st Class. | 2nd Class. |
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| | | | s d | s d |
| Bourke | Dep. | 8.45 a.m., Mon., 27th Oct. | 62 11 | 41 11 |
| Dubbo | " | 6.35 a.m., Wed., 29th " | 34 9 | 23 2 |
| Forbes | " | 2.40 p.m., Tues., 28th " | 36 2 | 24 1 |
| Orange | " | 10.25 a.m., Wed., 29th " | 24 0 | 16 0 |
| Bathurst | " | 11.0 a.m., Thurs., 30th " | 18 2 | 12 1 |

FROM THE SOUTHERN LINE.

From main line, Albury to Douglas Park, inclusive, and from the Germanton South-Western, Finley, Temora, Gundagai, Cowra-Harden, Crookwell, and Cooma Branch Lines, on FRIDAY, 31st OCTOBER.

From stations on the Culcairn-Corowa, The Rock-Lockhart, and Koorawatha-Grenfell Branch Lines, on SATURDAY, 1st NOVEMBER.

| Stations. | | Times. | Return Fares to Sydney. 1st Class. | 2nd Class. |
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| Albury | Dep. | 2.45 p.m., Friday, 31st Oct. | 48 8 | 32 2 |
| Hay | " | 9.25 a.m. " " | 56 9 | 37 10 |
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| Cootamundra | " | 9.20 a.m. " " | 31 8 | 21 1 |
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| Goulburn | " | 4.10 p.m. " " | 16 9 | 11 2 |

FROM THE SOUTH COAST LINE, FRIDAY, 31st OCTOBER.

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Department of Public Instruction, Sydney, 17th October, 1902.

TENDERS are invited for the ANNUAL SUPPLY of TIMBER for PUBLIC SCHOOL FURNITURE. For conditions see Government Gazette. Plans and Specifications may be seen at Department of Public Instruction, Sydney, where Tenders will be received up to noon on MONDAY, 27th October, 1902.

(5a-124) JOHN PERRY.

Hunter District Water Supply and Sewerage Board, Newcastle, 15th October, 1902.

TENDERS are invited until 10 a.m. on MONDAY, 3rd November next, for Supply of AUTOMATIC VALVES and CAST and WROUGHT IRON WORK for NEW RESERVOIR at WEST WALLSEND. Plans and specifications may be seen and tender forms obtained at Board Engineer's Office, Newcastle. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

(6k-7) ALFRED E. FRY, Secretary.

SYDNEY HARBOUR TRUST.

TENDERS FOR THE SUPPLY OF CASTIRON MOORING BOLLARDS and BOLTS.

The Sydney Harbour Trust Commissioners hereby notify that they are prepared to receive TENDERS for the Supply of TWENTY (20) CASTIRON MOORING BOLLARDS with BOLTS for Dalgety's Wharf.

Particulars may be obtained upon application to the Engineer-in-chief, at the Offices of the Trust, where the specifications and plans may be inspected.

Tenders, which should be endorsed "Tender for the Supply of Bollards for Dalgety's Wharf," must be addressed to the Secretary, and be in his hands not later than 2 p.m. on MONDAY, the 27th October.

By order of the Commissioners.
J. R. MARTIN, Secretary.

Sydney Harbour Trust Offices, Beresford-chambers, Castlereagh-street, Sydney, 14th October, 1902.

PUBLIC SERVICE BOARD.

80 Young-street, Sydney, 21st October, 1902.

The PUBLIC SERVICE BOARD notify that a test will shortly be held of persons desirous of employment as TEMPORARY COMPOSITOR in the GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE when such hands are required, in addition to the tested candidates already on the list. Application for admission to such test should be made to the undersigned not later than the 3rd proximo. Application must be made on a form for the purpose, obtainable at this office or from Clerks of Petty Sessions in Country Districts.

By order of the Board.
(5a-49) J. W. HOLLIMAN, Secretary.

Commonwealth of Australia, Postmaster-General's Department, 27th August, 1902.

STATE OF QUEENSLAND.

TENDERS FOR COASTAL STEAM MAIL SERVICE.

TENDERS will be received at the office of the Deputy Postmaster-General, Brisbane, until noon of Saturday, the 1st of November next, from persons or companies desirous of contracting for the Conveyance of Mails between Brisbane and Norman Bar and Burketown Bar, once every three weeks, calling at Townsville, Cooktown, Thursday Island, and other ports as may be agreed upon, with branch steamer to ply between Norman Bar and Normanton Town Landing, and Burketown Bar and Burketown Town Landing.

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RANDWICK.—Detached Cottage, perfect position, easterly aspect, contains drawing and dining rooms (folding doors), 4 bedrooms, kitchen, &c., sewerage, nice grounds, 30s. Anderson and Co., Randwick. Tel., 199 R.

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## Public Notices.

THE WOMEN'S HOSPITAL. The Honorary Treasurer gratefully acknowledges receipt of £50 from Madame MELBA, donation towards the funds of this Institution. J. P. M'ARTHUR, Honorary Treasurer.

COMMONWEALTH HOME FOR DESTITUTE INVALIDS, 287 Cleveland-street, Redfern. The COMMITTEE of the above Home sincerely THANK the many friends who assisted in the recent SALE of WORK, and to acknowledge with thanks the receipt of £5 from the Committee of the Coronation Benevolent Societies' Fete. Further donations and subscriptions solicited. W. F. STANTON, Hon. Sec.

BENEVOLENT SOCIETIES' CORONATION FETE.—St. Margaret's Maternity Hospital acknowledges with grateful thanks receipt of £5 from the above. GERTRUDE ABBOTT, Matron.

NOTICE TO FARMERS AND DEERING AGENTS.

The Building and Stock of DEERING HARVESTER COMPANY, SYDNEY, 307 and 309 Kent-street, was partly burnt down Monday, October 20, 1902.

The fire has not prevented DEERING HARVESTER COMPANY from going ahead with business.

We have opened TEMPORARY OFFICES at 337 KENT-STREET, Sydney, and with our large stock of goods in other States, also with what we have stored in our GLEBE-STREET STORE, Sydney, we are in a position to FILL ALL ORDERS PROMPTLY.

DEERING HARVESTER COMPANY.

GAS COOKING DEMONSTRATIONS. RALEIGH'S NEW PARAGON. SCHOOL OF ARTS, PITT-STREET. TO-DAY, WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 22nd, at 2.30 p.m. GRAND DISPLAY OF HIGH-CLASS PASTRY-COOKING. TWO NEW PARAGONS IN OPERATION. ALSO AN ENGLISH GAS STOVE. THE GREAT RING TEST. THE STARTLING SWISS ROLL TEST. COOKING WITHOUT GAS. ANOTHER BUBBLE BURSTED. THE GREATEST COAK OF ALL. THE SO-CALLED HOT PLATE ON AN ENGLISH GAS STOVE.

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT. M. RALEIGH will, To-day, put a quart of water in a saucepan and place it on the so-called hot plate of any English gas stove FOR TWO HOURS, when it will be merely warm.

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LOCAL EXAMINATIONS.

The THIRD EXAMINATION for the Certificates of Competency as Inspectors of Nuisances and of Proficiency in Practical Sanitary Science will, by kind permission of the Chancellor and Senate of the University of Sydney, be held in the MACLAY MUSEUM, on THURSDAY and FRIDAY, December 18th and 19th.

Forms of application and all information may be obtained from the undersigned.

By order of the Board of Examiners. P. E. GETTING, Secretary, 23 Macquarie-street, Sydney.

AUSTRALIAN GAS-LIGHT COMPANY. REDUCTION IN PRICE OF COKE.

On and after the 21st instant the Price of Coke supplied at this Company's Mortlake Works will be, until further notice, at the rate of 10s per ton of 20 bags as 6d per chaldron of 12 bags.

For delivery, cartage extra at Contractor's schedule rates will, as usual, be added.

R. J. LUKEY, Secretary.

Company's Head Office, 163 Kent-street, Sydney, 20th October, 1902.

ROYAL COMMISSION Appointed to make a DILIGENT and FULL INQUIRY into the CONDITION of the HULL and MACHINERY of the S.S. BALMAIN.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Royal Commission appointed to make a diligent and full inquiry into the Hull and Machinery of the S.S. Balmain will sit at No. 1 District Court, Macquarie-street, Sydney, on THURSDAY Next, 23rd instant, at 10.30 a.m. All persons having any knowledge of the subject of the inquiry are invited to attend.

W. WATSON, Secretary to the Commission. (1a-3)

IN THE ESTATE of ANDREW WILLIAM NEWMAN, late of Goulburn, Military Captain and Laundry Proprietor, deceased.

ALL PERSONS having any CLAIMS against the abovenamed deceased are requested to forward same to the undersigned at once.

E. F. THOMAS, Solicitor, Town Hall, Goulburn.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

EIGHT-HOUR ART UNION.

The PRIZES will be paid over to Winners in the above at the Trades' Hall, Goulburn-street, on THURSDAY AFTERNOON, 23rd October, after 2 p.m.

ALLAN M'DOUGALL, Secretary. Trades' Hall.

THE N.S.W. FLOUR MILL-OWNERS' ASSOCIATION.

This Association has resolved that the price of Flour from to-day shall be as under:—
Leading Brands, £11 per ton.
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H. C. BRIERLEY, A.I.A.V., Secretary. Vickery's-chambers, 82 Pitt-street, Sydney, 21st October, 1902.

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WATCHES CLEANED, 2s; best English Mainspring, 2s; Repairs guaranteed one year. NOLAN, TIME, and CO., 702 George-street, Haymarket.

IOLANTHE ART UNION.—Owing to the unavoidable absence of the Secretary, the Drawing in the above Art Union is POSTPONED till the 6th DECEMBER. F. M. VIPAN, Secretary.

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UNGAR, Manufacturer of Rope, Twine, and Clothes Line (contractor to S. M. Herald), Marrickville.

LINDFIELD.—¼ and ½ acre Blocks, Eastholm Estate, SALE NEXT SATURDAY. Hardie and Gorman.

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## Machinery.

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# PATRICIA DELANCOURT.

BY MORICE GERARD.

CHAPTER XXI.—Continued.

Matt rammed in the persuaders, and his victim howled afresh.

"Where's 'ee been since?—You had best answer, and look sharp about it too."

"Master came down for me in the middle of the night after the party. He had found the man with the white face in one of the rooms at the old end, what they don't use now, and locked him in. I've been shut up with him ever since."

"What did the white un say?"

"Don't know, didn't understand his lingo. He was some sort of a furriner."

This was a lie. For not only had Malister picked up quite enough French to follow while acting as Lord Moresby's valet on the Continent, but the stranger could speak English perfectly. It passed, however, as Matt had no knowledge to make him suspect his truth.

"What did Moresby say when he set you to watch?"

"Said he was a lunatic, and he was right there. Though I couldn't understand a word he said, I could see he was as mad as a hatter. Besides, I'd seen him afore in France when he was at a 'sylum there."

"What's Moresby up to now?"

"Taking him back, of course."

"But why does he do it in the middle o' th' night? Why not in th' day time?"

"Because he's a kind of connection, or relation, or summat."

By this time Hogan had released Malister's arm.

"I never heard tell that Moresby had any near relations i' France or anywhere else."

He suddenly thought of the girl he had brought to the train.

"Now if it was Geoffrey Lassiter—his folks are Frenchy. Miss Delancourt—she's half a Frenchy. It might happen to be some relation of hers or of Geoff's, more like, than Moresby's.

"I don't know nothing about that," replied Giles sullenly.

Baffled here, Hogan asked one more question.

"Did Horrocks know you took the 'osses out?"

"I don't know that he did." Hogan laughed, and as he turned away said:

"Well, I hope if he does find out he'll give you a jolly good hiding, and if he wants someone to help him, why I am not so very far away. So by-bye, friend!"

Tiny Tim had finished her supper, and was tossing her nose-bag about to show that it was no longer profitable, and that she thought it about time to make tracks for her out-house.

She had come quickly, but she went home quicker. On the road Matt turned over many things in his mind under the gaze of the stars. The answers to his enquiries had not made matters clearer to him, and he soon dismissed the problem of the man with a white face and a foreign look from his mind. He spent the rest of his time thinking not of Patricia Delancourt, but of Amice. He had liked the look of her when she came to see him, not because she was a beauty, which she was not. About that Matt cared nothing; but because she looked good, and true, and kind. Hogan did not undervalue himself in the matrimonial market, and he was well aware that if he ever had intentions a second time, that nest-egg of considerable dimensions in the bank would help him not a little. Suddenly a second idea came across him. He had never been to London, and he had sometimes thought when he read his Dickens that he should like to see the sights of the town. Why not now? He knew where he could stow Tiny Tim and Bob while he was away, and as to his cottage Matt knew he could not go on living there if he married Amice.

As it happened, Hogan had asked, when his aid was first solicited, where the young miss was going to in London—a very natural question—and Amice had told him. He remembered the address of Mrs. Medhurst perfectly, and said it to himself now.

Matt thought to himself: "Directly old Geoff is well enough to get about"—the turf-cutter knew exactly the extent of the injury resulting from "the accident"—"he'll be off arter missy to try and bring her back. After all if I'm there to see the fun I may be able to put a spoke in his wheel a second time. Considering what had happened to the brougham the simile was a little too apt, 'only the other way round.'"

"Yes, I'll go," said Matt out aloud, as Tiny Tim turned off the high road, and fairly cantered over the turfy track towards her stall. "I may be able to help missy if I'm there. Besides, he added to himself, "there's Amice!"

CHAPTER XXII.
WHAT HAPPENED AT BRISTOL.

The shrill whistle of a train in the night. There are few things in our ordinary civilised quiet which strike upon our ears with quite such an effect. The same sound heard by day seems quite different.

It is the darkness which casts its glamour over the fact and our imagination.

Patricia was roused from sleep by the mail signalling its approach to the first stop—Bristol. She woke up with a sense of unreality, of floating in space without any definite bearings. Where was she? Slowly the girl realised it all. High above in the doomed roof of the carriage hung the lamp dimly illuminating the compartment. Amice was opposite to her, leaning her head against the corner, watching her mistress with trusty brown eyes which contained no suggestion of sleep. A film of mist was on the glass of the windows, heated overmuch by the steam from the engine. Outside was darkness. A terror of the unknown sat upon Patricia's spirit like a nightmare. She seemed to have buried her buoyancy, nay her youth, itself, and to be just returning from the funeral. The mist which obscured the window, the dense darkness outside, were allegorical of her mental outlook.

Never in her life did the girl's soul touch a lower depth of hopelessness than it did during those first few minutes which followed her awakening in the train. She was flying from the unknown, and in dread of the unknown to which she was going, which seemed to her now only a degree worse than what she was leaving behind. She was about to cast herself on the tender mercy of strangers, and once more felt the intense doubt of welcome. Who has not passed through something of this with reference to a trivial stay for the first time under a new roof? How much more Patricia, who was going to a woman she had only seen once in her life, and whose whole future depended upon whether the invitation was meant or not, the passing compliment of an hour, or the real expression of true friendliness and sympathy.

But the chilliness about her heart had a far deeper cause than any doubts as to her own position. The sense of loss lay heavy upon her, the uncertainty of the fate of Ralph Dormer. If he were dead! lost to her for ever! Then indeed life was not worth living. She had neither hope nor courage to fight the arduous battle against her uncle, Lord Moresby, against fate itself. Her love was her armour, faith her only weapon. Both were taken from her if Ralph was dead.

At this moment Patricia noticed a paper lying on the corner-seat facing the engine, at the end remote from where the girl and Amice had taken their places. She crossed over and took it up mechanically. It proved to be a Bristol evening newspaper, no doubt left by some passenger.

In a moment it flashed across her that it would contain later news of the loss of the Caristone. She turned it over eagerly. On the back page was a staring head-line, and below an amplified description of what Patricia already knew. Then there was a line, and below another heading in large letters, "Further News." She tried to take it all in at a glance, her hand trembling as it held the paper. Her eyes swam. The light barely succeeded in illuminating the page. For a minute or two Patricia could understand nothing. Then her vision gradually cleared. This was what she read:

"A small boat has been found drifting bottom upwards close to Agiens on a lee shore. It had evidently struck on a sharp-pointed rock; for a piece of the side was driven in. Although no name was on the bows, there can be no doubt that it was part of the equipment of the ill-fated Caristone." Then below was the word "Later," and underneath again: "We deeply regret to say that the bodies of the captain of the vessel (Captain Lolthouse), and of a non-commissioned officer of the Cheshires, whose name has not yet transpired, have been cast up on the shore about a mile from where the boat was first observed. There can be very little doubt that they were amongst the last to leave the ship, and were in the boat mentioned above. Nothing is known of the fate of the others. Included amongst those still unaccounted for are Captain Dormer, a very popular and capable officer of the Cheshires, and a ship's cook. There is a possibility that they may have been rescued at some point along the coast; but it is feared that unless news comes speedily to the contrary the probabilities are that they are to be numbered amongst the victims of the shipwreck. It is a matter for sincere congratulation that the loss of life, considering the conditions that obtained at the time the vessel sank, was so comparatively slight. All the larger boats which left the Caristone first have been accounted for satisfactorily. The deepest regret is occasioned by the death of Lieutenant-Colonel Fairbairn, whose service career has been remarkably successful, and whose conduct of some arduous outpost work on the Transvaal frontiers had been recently warmly commended by his superior officers, and brought before the notice of the authorities at home. Colonel Fairbairn came of an old Scots family, but was fortunately unmarried. The exact circumstances which attended the colonel's death have not been accurately ascertained, although the men under his command have been questioned. It would seem, however, that it was the result of an accident which occurred at the height of the storm, but before the transport had actually run on to the rock."

(To be continued.)

# LAW REPORT.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 21.

## IN BANCO.

(Before Mr. Justice Owen, Mr. Justice Simpson, and Mr. Justice Pring.)

AN APPEAL IN AN ACTION FOR TRESPASS.
M'Alary v. Stafford.

Mr. Ferguson and Mr. Peden, instructed by Mr. J. T. Ralston, appeared for the defendant, and moved for a rule nisi calling upon the plaintiff to show cause why the verdict found in his favour should not be set aside and a new trial granted. The action, which was tried before Mr. Justice Pring and a jury of four at the September sittings for the hearing of causes, was brought by Daniel M'Alary, of Glen Innes, grazier, against Albert Stafford, of Narrabri, merchant, to recover compensation for loss and damage caused, as he alleged, by the defendant or his servants negligently and carelessly permitting his sheep to enter upon land leased by plaintiff, and upon which a number of his own sheep were depasturing. The case for the plaintiff was that in August of last year he placed in a paddock near Narrabri about 3000 mixed sheep, which were intended for Coonamble. While they were there a number of sheep belonging to the defendant were driven along the road adjoining the paddock, and by the negligence, as plaintiff alleged, of those in charge, a number of them were allowed to get into the paddock. The result was that many of plaintiff's sheep were driven off the land, where there was good grass, and into a paddock where some poisonous herbage grew, causing the death of a number of the animals. Plaintiff further stated that a number of young ewes became in lamb at too early an age and at the wrong season for profitable lambing in that district, and many of the lambs, ewes, and sheep died, and others became affected by a disease called the "staggers," and were greatly impoverished and deteriorated in value, and plaintiff was put to expense in procuring other pasturage for the sheep, and suffered loss in regard to their subsequent sale. Damages were laid at £500.

The defence was that the defendant's sheep were not driven into the paddock in question, nor did defendant's servants drive plaintiff's stock on to other land. The paddock in which the plaintiff's sheep were depasturing was contiguous to the highway along which defendant's sheep were travelling, and owing to portions of the land being insufficiently fenced or the fences out of repair, and other portions not being enclosed at all, certain of defendant's sheep, without his knowledge and against his will, and without negligence on the part of his servants or himself, escaped from the road into the paddock, and consumed a small quantity of grass and fouled a small quantity of water. Within a reasonable time after he received notice of the occurrence the sheep were collected and removed, no damage being done beyond what was absolutely necessary for the purpose.

The jury returned a verdict for the plaintiff on the first count (trespass) with damages 1s, and also on the second count (loss of sheep) with damages £189. On the third count, in which plaintiff alleged wrongful conversion of sheep, the jury found for defendant. Against that portion of the verdict which was in plaintiff's favour the defendant now appealed.

The rule was granted on the grounds:—1. That his Honor was in error in refusing to allow Edward Power to be examined as to whether he had orders from the defendant to drive the sheep to the gate at the top of plaintiff's paddock, or to drive them out of that paddock. 2. That his Honor was in error in refusing to direct the jury that the defendant was not liable in trespass for the acts of Power if they were committed without his orders or consent. 3. That there was no evidence upon which the defendant could be held liable in trespass for the acts committed by Power. 4. That his Honor was in error in directing the jury that it was for the defendant to make out how many sheep of the plaintiff's got through the fences into the defendant's paddock.

(Before the Acting Chief Justice, Mr. Justice Owen, and Mr. Justice Pring.)

AN INTERPLEADER MATTER.
Hoe v. Lee.

The Attorney-General (Mr. B. R. Wise, K.C.) and Mr. Pilcher, instructed by Messrs. F. Gannon and Sons, appeared for the claimant (plaintiff), and moved for a rule nisi calling upon defendant to show cause why the verdict found for him should not be set aside and a verdict entered for plaintiff, or why a new trial should not be granted. The action, which was in the nature of an interpleader, was brought by John Hoe against the defendant, William Robert George Lee, to determine the legal ownership of certain property which defendant had seized in execution. Plaintiff's case was that he was the holder of a bill of sale over the Tung Wah Newspaper Company, Limited, Sydney, against which William Robert George Lee, the defendant, had recently obtained a verdict for £700 for libel. The claimant, Hoe, alleged that in the beginning of March he lent the company £200, and a bill of sale was executed on May 29. Two days before the verdict for libel he lent them another £100. A bill of sale for the whole amount of £300 was executed, and was registered on the day the verdict was given in favour of Lee. Execution was issued on the verdict for £700, and John Hoe then claimed the goods of the company under his bill of sale. The present action was the result. Upon the close of the evidence his Honor directed the jury to return a verdict for defendant, but left to them the question whether the advance by plaintiff was bona fide or a mere sham. The jury accordingly returned a verdict for defendant, and also found that the advance was a bona fide one. The plaintiff now appealed.

The rule nisi was granted on the grounds, (1) That his Honor should not have directed the jury to return a verdict for defendant, (2) that on the special finding of the jury his Honor should have entered a verdict for the plaintiff, (3) that his Honor should not have held that Yee Hing and David Young had not due authority to execute a bill of sale of the property of the Tung War newspaper Company for and on behalf of the company.

APPEAL FROM THE DARLING HARBOUR RESUMPTION COURT.
Robert Reid and Company, Limited, v. Minister for Works.

Mr. Pilcher, K.C., Mr. C. B Stephen, and Mr. J. L. Campbell, instructed by the Crown Solicitor, appeared for the defendant, and moved to make absolute a rule nisi to set aside the verdict found by the Darling Harbour Resumption Court, consisting of Mr. Justice Cohen and Judges Murray and Backhouse, in December last, and for a new trial. Sir Julian Salomons, K.C., Mr. Reid, K.C., and Dr. Sly, instructed by Messrs. Sly and Russell, appeared for the plaintiffs in support of the verdict. The claim was one brought by Robert Reid and Company, Limited, against the Minister for Works to recover the sum of £216,106 for the resumption by the Government of extensive wharfage property in Darling Harbour under the provisions of the Darling Harbour Wharfs Resumption Act. The total area of the property was 2 acres 3 roods and 12½ perches, and upon it wharfs and stores had been erected. It formerly consisted of two properties, one belonging to M'Ilwraith, M'Eacharn, and Co. on the north, and the southern being known as "Street's Wharf." The plaintiffs purchased the property in 1888, and in 1889 it was leased to the Federal Wharfs Company for a term of 23 years. Under this lease all improvements went to the lessor, but the lessees had the right of purchase, in which event the improvements would go to them. When Robert Reid and Co was formed the property was made security for debentures for the sum of £150,000, on which amount plaintiffs were bound to pay 4½ per cent. interest, and the company could not pay off the debentures till 1905. Apart from special damage, the property was valued by the company at £175,000 as a fee simple, the full claim being, as already stated, for £216,106, including 10 per cent. on £175,000 as for forced sale. The defendant offered, on the report of Government valuers, £148,800, and the Court fixed the compensation to which the plaintiffs were entitled at £169,916. Mr. Pilcher said that the Crown took up the position that it had the right to have the interest of each person separately assessed, as far as it was chargeable against the property, and that each person so interested was entitled to have his proportion. It was further submitted, as a matter of law, that all the plaintiffs were entitled to recover was the value of the equity of redemption, and the Court awarded them £169,916, whereas it should have been £19,916. In the latter case the plaintiffs would have had to pay costs. The grounds of appeal were—(1) that the verdict was against evidence and the weight of evidence, as far as the Court took into consideration the expectancy of the leases being renewed; (2) that the Court ought only to have awarded to the plaintiffs the value of their interest as owners of the equity of redemption.

The case stands part heard.

## IN EQUITY.

(Before Mr. Justice A. H. Simpson, Chief Judge).

SUIT FOR REDEMPTION.
M'Pherson v. Summerville.

Mr. Gordon and Mr. Cowan, instructed by Mr. W. Cowan, of Taree (by Messrs. M'Donell and Moffitt), appeared for the plaintiff; and Dr. Sly and Mr. H. P. Owen, instructed by Mr. L. O. Martin, of Taree (by Mr. C. M. Boyce), for the defendant. This was a suit brought by James M'Pherson against John Summerville for the redemption of four pieces of land, three of which are situated at Kocumbat Flat, Dingo Creek, and one at Mungaree Flat, Dingo Creek. Plaintiff asked for a decree directing an account to be taken of the total amount due by him to defendant, and that upon payment of what was due to him defendant should convey the properties to him.

The defendant, in his statement of defence, denied that the plaintiff had ever offered to pay to him the amount due on the mortgages or that he had requested him to furnish an account of the rents and profits derived from the properties.

The evidence was not concluded at 4 o'clock, when the further hearing was adjourned to the following day.

(Before Mr. Justice Walker.)

PETITION FOR WINDING UP A COMPANY.
Re the Fish River Gold Dredging Company.

Mr. Rich, instructed by Mr. W. Sands, appeared for the company, which had carried on operations at Locksley, near Bathurst, and asked for the appointment of Mr. L. T. Lloyd as provisional liquidator, and to take charge of and protect the assets of the company. Mr. Rich stated that a petition for winding up the company had been presented on October 18 last, but it had not been properly advertised. The present application for the appointment of a provisional liquidator was made in order to protect the assets of the company, as one of its creditors had threatened to seize the company's dredge and dismantle it. His Honor appointed Mr. L. T. Lloyd as provisional liquidator, but made no order as to the winding up of the company.

## DIVORCE COURT.

(Before the Judge in Divorce, Mr. Justice Simpson.)

Mr. Peden appeared in support of a motion for a decree nisi in the suit of Eleanor Louise Mathers v. Robert Henry Mathers, for a dissolution of the marriage. The case was heard at Broken Hill by Acting-Justice Gibson. The findings of the latter having been considered, and the question of domicile settled, His Honor granted a decree nisi returnable in three months.

## IN BANKRUPTCY.

(Before the Registrar, Mr. A. Henry.)

CERTIFICATE APPLICATIONS.

Re Alfred Roberson. On the application of the official assignee the matter was adjourned until November 18.

MOTION UNDER SECTION 61.

Re Albert Richard de Plevitz. The Registrar made an order for the payment by the bankrupt of £2 per month to the official assignee for the benefit of his creditors, the first payment to be made on November 1.

MEETINGS AND EXAMINATIONS.

Re Albert Edward Sherrey. Adjourned until November 4 as the bankrupt had not filed accounts.

Re Frederick Alexander Cuddy. The single meeting and public examination were adjourned until the 28th instant on the application of the official assignee.

Re Martin O'Brien. The bankrupt failed to appear, and on the application of the official assignee the matter was adjourned to November 18.

Re Robert Falconer. The official assignee having stated that he wished the matter to stand over pending the result of proceedings under section 134 against a certain person, the matter was adjourned until November 15.

Re Edward Courcy. Bankrupt was examined by the official assignee, and as accounts had not been filed the matter was adjourned until November 18.

Re George Barnes. Bankrupt was examined by Mr. Davenport, solicitor for the official assignee, on whose application bankrupt was ordered to file better accounts, and the examination was adjourned until the 28th instant.

Re John Frederick Gannon. The meeting was closed and the public examination declared concluded.

Re Alfred Ernest Gilchrist. Bankrupt offered to pay 30s per month. The meeting was closed, and the examination declared concluded.

Re Charles Olles. Accounts were not filed, and on the application of the official assignee the matter was adjourned until the 28th instant.

Re William John Neilson. The public examination was declared concluded. The section 30 examination was not proceeded with.

CREDITORS' PETITIONS.

John Campbell, of 101 Sussex-street, Sydney, grain merchant, versus Joseph Winter, of Balmain, butcher. Petition to be heard on the 27th instant.

William Maloney, of Beaconsfield-parade, St. Kilda, Victoria, medical practitioner, versus Albert Edward Richard, of Beach-street, Coogee. Petition to be heard on the 27th instant.

SEQUESTRATION ORDERS.

Edward O'Shea, of Bodangora, formerly of Burraga, engine-driver. Mr. W. H. Palmer, official assignee.

Francis Patrick Drennan, of Bulli-road, Wollongong, labourer. Mr. L. T. Lloyd, official assignee.

## LAND APPEAL COURT.

(Before the President, Mr. Alexander Oliver; and Commissioners Brandis and Houston.

Mr. Hanbury Davies, instructed by the Crown Solicitor, appeared for the Minister.

APPEALS AND REFERENCES.

The appeal of W. Jamieson, H. F. C. Keats, and F. G. Keats against the recommendation of the Bourke and Brewarrina Land Board in respect of their improvement leases Nos. 75, 76, 77, 78, and 79, was on the application of Mr. Pike, who appeared for appellants, and with the consent of counsel for the Crown, ordered to stand over generally.

Andrew S. C. Beveridge appealed against the recommendation of the Dubbo board in respect of his application for a scrub lease within Mullah leasehold area, No. 661, Central Division. Mr. Carroll appeared for appellant. This case was before the Court on July 22 last, and was then ordered to be returned to the board for further evidence as to the quantity of scrub land and the existing condition of such land. This evidence was obtained, and it appeared from it that the land was 1100 acres in extent, that the large timber and the buddah were all dead, with the exception of what had previously been shown to be in a different condition, and that the land was good agricultural land. A detailed statement showing the character of the land on the Mullah scrub lease generally was given. Approximately one-half of the total area was scrub land. The cost of suckering, cutting seedlings, and ringing was given at 2s 7½d per acre on the total area. Decision was reserved.

G. W. Dight appealed against the decision of the Warialda board that the condition of residence was not being complied with in respect of his A.C.P. No. 1901-53, Warialda. Mr. Pike appeared for appellant. It appeared that on August 6, 1901, G. W. Dight purchased from one Schmidt a series of C.P.'s, and C.L.s. The original C.P. of this series was taken up by Schmidt on August 16, 1894, and the series included a C.L. of 100 acres taken up by Schmidt on July 12, 1900. After purchase Dight converted the C.L. No. 29,991 of 100 acres into an A.C.P. in his own name on October 31, 1901, and had never resided on the series of any part of it. The A.C.P. application was subsequently confirmed to Dight, and he applied for a certificate of conformity in respect to it. At the hearing of this application the board had expressed the opinion that residence was a condition of the A.C.P., notwithstanding the seventeenth section of the Act of 1899, and the certificate application was withdrawn by permission. The Crown had then called for an inquiry under regulation 119 as to the fulfilment of conditions on this 100 acres. All conditions (except residence, which appellant considered unnecessary) had been complied with. Not one of the series of C.P.s and C.L.s. held by Dight was a full area, viz., 2560 acres, but the whole area exceeded that area considerably. Mr. Pike contended that as there was no residence condition attached to the A.C.P., the decision of the board was contrary to law. Mr. Davies submitted that the waiver of the condition of residence granted to Schmidt did not apply to the transferee (Dight), as Dight had taken the land after the passing of the Act of 1895. Decision was reserved.

The Parkes Board submitted a reference for decision in respect of Peter Kerley's application for appraisement of the capital value of the land comprised in his C.P. No. 88-36 and C.L. No. 10,472, Parkes. Mr. Pike appeared for Kerley. It appeared that Kerley had applied for the appraisement of the capital value of the C.P. on October 17, 1901. He transferred the land absolutely to Cannon Brothers on November 20 and the board had found that they were at present the holders and that they did not reside on the land. On July 18 last the matter came before the board upon Kerley's application, and the board had found that he was the original conditional purchaser quite validly in all respects. The board was in doubt as to whether Kerley's application since the transfer could be allowed. The Court ruled that under the circumstances disclosed by the reference the application for appraisement should be proceeded with.

Alexander Gordon Waugh appealed against the decision of the Grafton Board in respect of his special lease, application No. 01-9, Bellingen. This was a lease of 135 acres, and the board had approved of it being granted to Waugh for a period of five years at a rental of £7 10s per annum. Mr. Boultwood appeared for appellant, whose appeal was based on the grounds that the term of lease was insufficient to justify the necessary improvements being effected to render it valuable for pastoral purposes and that the rental was excessive. Decision was reserved. The same appellant also appealed against the appraised annual rent of his C. L. No. 01-8, Bellingen, which had been fixed by the Court at 6d per acre. This Waugh considered too high. Decision was reserved.

W. E. Baker appealed against the appraised capital value of the land comprised in his C.P.s. Nos. 95-5, and 95-13, Murrurundi. Mr. E. D. Millen appeared for appellant, who claimed that the value as appraised was excessive. The C.P.s aggregated 320 acres, and the original value of the first block was £1 5s, and of the second £1 10s. The first was appraised by the board at £1 5s, and the second at £1 per acre. Decision was reserved.

The following appeals and references were withdrawn, and were accordingly ordered to be struck out, the deposit being refunded in each case:—The Minister for Lands appeals against the decision of local land board in respect of application by Lachlan M'Lean for appraisement of the capital value of the land comprised in his C.P. No. 88-17, and C.L. No. 11,762, Condobolin; against the decision of local land board in respect of application by Lachlan M'Lean for appraisement of the capital value of the land comprised in his C.P. No. 88-53, and C.L. No. 10,950, Condobolin; against the decision of local land board in respect of application by Lachlan M'Lean for appraisement of the capital value of the land comprised in his C.P. No. 91-38, and C.L. No. 17,850, Condobolin; reference for determination of the capital value of the land comprised in William Steel's C.P. No. 88-192, Booroowa; reference for determination of the capital value of the land comprised in James Gaffney's C.P. No. 98-35, Gunnedah. Reference for determination of the capital value of the land comprised in William Hezekiah Crouch's settlement lease No. 10, Condobolin; reference for determination of the capital value of the land comprised in John Thomas Hood's settlement lease No. 1051, Condobolin.

A. Pengilley appealed against the appraised capital value of the land comprised in his homestead selection No. 96-1, Murrurundi. Mr. E. D. Millen appeared for appellant, and stated that the decision in this case would govern the next nine cases, which were of a generally similar character. The other nine appeals were submitted by E. J. Bacon, H. Carpenter, G. Warfield, T. L. Ivey, Ethel N. Griffin, G. Thrift, J. Stockdale, W. Pengilley, and W. Holt. In all these cases it was claimed on behalf of the appellants that the value as appraised was too high. Decision was reserved in each case.

F. Lugsdin appealed against the decision of the Hay Board in respect of his application for appraisement of the capital value of the land comprised in his C.P. No. 87-13, and C.L. No. 7567, Hay. Mr. E. D. Millen appeared for appellant. The board disallowed the application on the ground that the circumstances did not warrant the holder being excused from the condition of residence. Applicant was not the original holder of the C.P. and C.L. These were transferred to him by his brother in 1895. The land was situated about 32 miles from Hay, and is worked in conjunction with properties held by his father, with whom appellant resided at Bolaley, 15 miles away from the subject land. The ground of appeal was that the area was not sufficient for appellant to maintain a home thereon, and that the board ought to have excused residence. Decision was reserved.

The Court adjourned to the following day.

## LAW NOTICES.

SUPREME COURT.—Wednesday, October 22. Term List.—New trial motion—Robert Reid and Co., Limited, v. the Minister (part heard). Motions nisi for new trial—Emu Gravel and Road Metal Company, Limited, v. Gibson; Coleman v. Piesto.

District Court appeals—Municipal Council of Sydney v. Sydney and Suburban Hydraulic Power Company; Original Mont de Piete, Limited, v. the Fullers Carrying Company, Limited.

Before the Prothonotary.—Heydon and another v. Dillon and others, 11; re H. A. Lyons' costs ex parte L. Levy, 11.30, re S. J. Hall's costs, ex parte T. Mudican, 12; re C. Manning, gait, etc., ex parte Price and O'Rourke, 12.30.

In Equity.—Before his Honor the Chief Judge in Equity.—At 10 a.m.: Minister for Works and Glover, to be mentioned; Church v. Tabor, further consideration; Minister for Works and trustees Pitt-street Presbyterian Church, petition for payment out; Minister for Works and Clayden, petition for payment out. At 11 a.m.: Macpherson v. Summerville, part heard.

Master's Office.—At 10 a.m.: Company and Lunacy matters. At 11 a.m.: Municipal Council and Hughes, for directions. At 12 noon: Rose v. Kilick, to settle draft certificate. At 2 p.m.: Miles v. Brugh, for directions.

Before the Deputy Registrar.—At 10.30 a.m.: Howe v. Sutton, to settle minutes of decree. At 11 a.m.: Minister for Works and Charlton, to tax costs. At 12 noon: Ex parte Kroombit Copper-mining Company and L.P. Act, to tax costs. At 2 p.m.: Conolly v. Conolly, to tax costs; same v. same, to tax costs. At 3 p.m.: Ex parte Toohey and L.P. Act, to tax costs.

Probate Jurisdiction.—Before the Deputy Registrar (to pass accounts).—John J. Heinrich, 10.30; W. M'Grath, 10.45; L. F. S. Eichler, 11; W. Hickey, 11.15; John Eyers, 11.30; Martha T. Grace Malbon, 11.30; Jane M'Lellan, 11.45.

Chambers List.—At 9.30 a.m.: De Plevitz v. the A.J.S. Bank, Limited, for stay of proceedings (part heard); Toner v. Crow, to remove issues to District Court; Horsfall v. the Australian Workers' Union, for discovery; Briscoe and Co., Limited, v. Walker, to plead cross-action; Reid v. Brown, the Citizens' Life Assurance Society, Limited, garnishees.

Before the Registrar in Bankruptcy.—At 11 a.m.: Certificate applications—Richard Gates, Samuel Barber Nicholl. Motion for release—John Kilpatrick. Hearing of proof of debt of William Fall. James—William Clements. Single meeting and examination under section 30—William Horace Fairweather.

DISTRICT COURT.—Wednesday, October 22. Before his Honor Judge Backhouse.—At noon: Brierley v. Sanders (for judgment); Weatherley v. Dunn (part heard).

Before the Registrar.—In No. 2 Court.—At 10.30 a.m.: Andrews v. Byrnes and another.

# INQUESTS.

DEATH IN A CELL.
AN OPEN VERDICT.

The adjourned inquest on the body of Henry William Lardner, who died at the Central Police Station on Saturday night, was continued before the City Coroner, Mr. J. C. Woore, at the Coroner's Court yesterday. Deceased was locked up on a charge of drunkenness on Saturday and died in a cell. Mr. J. S. Cargill appeared for the Crown, Mr. J. W. Abigail for relatives of the deceased, and Sub-Inspector Sherwood watched the case for the police.

Margaret King, single, residing at Riley-street, Surry Hills, said she was in Riley-street, Surry Hills, on the corner of Ann and Riley streets, about 4 to 4.30 p.m. on Saturday. She saw a constable arrest a man. She first saw the man standing against a telegraph post, and did not consider he was drunk. She was about 20 yards away from where the man stood, and next saw that the man and the constable were down on the footpath, and that the constable was on the top trying to put the handcuffs on. Both men got up, and the constable led the man away. The man threw himself down, but the constable did not fall. As they walked away together the constable had his arm linked in that of the man to keep him up. As they passed witness, she heard the man say, "You need not kneel on a man's neck." The constable said, "I'll knock your d——d head off." When the two were down on the ground the constable had one knee on the man's throat, and the other on his chest.

To Mr. Abigail: Constable Cornoch called at her father's house on Sunday afternoon. He was in the washhouse for about ten minutes. She only looked in the washhouse, did not enter, and did not hear what conversation took place.

Annie Ellis, single and a domestic servant, residing at 246 Riley-street, gave evidence corroborative of the preceding witness.

John Meehan, plasterer, gave evidence of having seen deceased arrested. He saw the constable loose his arm from the man's and push him forward. Lardner fell on the back of his head. As far as witness could see there was no provocation for the constable to act so roughly with the man.

To the Coroner: Witness was asked to attend and give evidence by a lady. He did not know who she was.

To a Juror: There were several people about the place when the constable pushed the man down. Witness did not hear anyone complain.

To Mr. Cargill: The place where the deceased fell heavily was at the intersection of Riley and Campbell streets. Both the constable and the man were on the road at the time. The deceased's head was not near the footpath when he fell. Witness did not think his head struck the kerbstone. The deceased walked as if he had had some liquor, but witness did not hear him speak.

To Constable Cornoch: Witness would swear that the deceased did not attempt to trip the constable when the latter pushed him off.

Catherine Jackson, widow, said that on Saturday afternoon her neighbours called her out from her house. She saw the constable and the deceased. She did not remember seeing either of them previously. She saw the man who was being arrested fall twice, but saw no kicking by the constable.

Walter Wink, bricklayer, said when he first saw the constable in Riley-street it was about 4.30 p.m. The man was lying down, and the constable had just got the handcuffs on to him as witness approached. When about 50 yards away witness could see the constable with his knees on the man's chest. The latter was struggling and resisting. Constable Cornoch pulled the man on to his feet, and the latter was the worse for liquor. When the constable got the man up witness saw the constable push him down again. Witness followed the two as far as Goulburn-street, and when they were crossing the street the constable deliberately threw the deceased down on to the road. Two men then came up and asked the constable not to knock the man about so much. The deceased still struggled to get away from custody.

To Mr. Cargill: Witness saw the man attempt to sit down himself. When the deceased fell previously witness was sure his head struck the kerbstone, as witness could hear the noise.

To Mr. Abigail: Witness considered it was a shame the way the constable treated the man.

After hearing additional evidence, the Coroner summed up, and in doing so commented on the contradictory nature of the evidence. Two of the witnesses only, he said, considered the constable used more violence than was necessary to arrest the man.

After about half an hour's retirement the jury found a verdict to the effect that the deceased came to his death in accordance with the medical testimony, and that there was not sufficient evidence for them to decide as to when and how he received the injury that led to his death.

DEATH OF A WOMAN.

Mr. J. C. Woore, City Coroner, yesterday resumed the inquest at the Coroner's Court concerning the death of Mrs. Annie Lynch, aged 26, which occurred at the Sydney Hospital on October 8. Deceased was a recent arrival from Brisbane, and whilst journeying from Brisbane to Sydney in a boat about two weeks ago she was taken ill. At the conclusion of the evidence the jury found that death was due to septic peritonitis, following on premature confinement, but that there was no evidence to enable them to assign the cause.

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## THE ANNUAL SESSION.

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### DISCUSSION ON UNION WITH PRESBYTERIANS.

The thirty-seventh annual session of the Congregational Union of New South Wales began yesterday morning in the school-hall of the Pitt-street church. The retiring chairman of the union, the Rev. George Campbell, presided in the morning, and the chairman for the current year, the Rev. Dr. T. Roseby, M.A., LL.D., F.R.A.S., at the afternoon and evening session. The session opened with devotional services, conducted by the Rev. Charles Whyte, after which the business was commenced.

UNION WITH PRESBYTERIANS.

The Rev. W. Mathison, B.A., read a paper on "Union with Presbyterians," which he explained was meant only to afford a basis for a discussion, and was in no manner complete. In Australia one of the disabilities under which we were labouring arose from the inveteracy of the conservatism with which we cling to ancient ideas and practices. Consequently we were perpetuating the history of other lands under conditions which admit of amelioration. He did not in those remarks mean to deny what we owed to the past, but present conditions owed their shape to great pressure and heat, which being now removed left us in a position to review the situation and consider whether the full realisation of the divine ideal was not possible. Wherever possible Christian people ought to unite, close up the ranks, and present an unbroken front to the evils of unbelief and immorality. Denominationalism had been a benefit only in the sense of being better than something worse, and was only justified when Christian men could not agree upon vital matters of doctrine or organisation. Denominationalism might well have reached its high-water mark, and be expected with the growth of intelligence and the development of the spirit of love to give way to a greater tide of unity. It was generally recognised that Congregationalism was wanting in propagating and sustaining power, the power to spread itself abroad and aid its weaker members. These were very serious defects. Efforts had been and were being made to remedy those defects, and with every development Congregationalism was approaching nearer to Presbyterianism. Therefore should they not aim at the amalgamation of the two communions? If it were possible in the larger interests of the Kingdom of God it would be very desirable. There was a growing tendency on the part of Congregationalists to become more Presbyterian, and vice versa, and that movement of approximation seemed to point to one logical end—the union of the two bodies. The Westminster Confession of Faith would not constitute any insurmountable obstacle. He believed the fears that the flesh of organisation would war against the spirit of life were groundless. They must ask themselves what should they do in the interests of the Kingdom of God. It would be a solemn thing to arrest the movement towards unity lest it should be of the Lord.

The Rev. Josiah Mullens opened the discussion on the paper, and sought to show that there were emotional, doctrinal, and legal difficulties in the way of union. There would be breaking away from tradition, the subserviency of individual responsibility to earthly authority, the acceptance of the dead hand of the obsolete past, the acceptance of the collar of the slave by creed subscription, the severance of connection with the L.M.S. With regard to doctrinal differences, he examined three items of the creed of peace, and also said that on the legal aspect the question of rights in property was a big factor in consideration.

The Chairman said that since the last session six delegates from the Congregational Union had met six from the Presbyterian Church. The delegates met without any authority to fix or define anything. Several meetings were held, and the subject was canvassed in a spirit of concession, a spirit of sympathy, and a deep spirituality. But he wished it to be clearly and widely known that neither side was committed to anything.

The Rev. W. Cunliffe Jones said there must be many sacrifices before the union could result, but if the movement was for the Kingdom of God it was worth many sacrifices. Of course they could not forget history, and no doubt aversion to the union was in the blood. Yet they must forget much for the Kingdom Church.

The Rev. W. Allen said all difficulties could be got over. He believed union was for the Kingdom of God, and believing that he supported it.

The Rev. Charles Whyte said that so far they were speaking in the dark, and until the report of the delegates was received and understood it was not possible for him, at any rate, to speak on the subject. He wanted to know if it meant giving up the Congregational basis.

The Revs. J. C. Cribb, G. Dunkley, Dr. Fordyce, and John Bennett also spoke, the tone of each being, though guarded, yet generally in favour of a union that would be for the advancement of the Kingdom of God.

AFTERNOON SESSION.—THE REPORTS.

In the afternoon a quantity of formal business was disposed of, the chief being the reports of committees. The general committee submitted its thirty-seventh annual report. The report was read by the secretary, the Rev. W. Cunliffe Jones. It stated inter alia that the committee had met 16 times. At one meeting it had "with deep regret, and after careful and anxious inquiry, unanimously decided that the seat of the Rev. E. Tremayne Dunstan be declared vacant by reason of his departure from the State of New South Wales without the cognisance of the officers of the union." The finances of the union were stated to be in a satisfactory condition. The ladies' auxiliary had last year brought in £338 9s 3d. The following churches were declared to be without pastoral care:—Pitt-street, Campbelltown, Manly, Killara, Devonshire-street, Windsor, and Willoughby. A vigorous effort was made to save Glebe church, but the committee was unable to meet the demands of the mortgages. At Orange a new church was being erected. The discussion by the churches of the amended constitution had been beneficial. In conclusion the committee state:—"Your committee have not been unmindful of the larger and spiritual interests of the churches, and in closing this imperfect record of a troubled and anxious year they look with a deepened sense of need and confidence to Him who is the author and perfecter of our faith. What Christ is to the Church we must be to the world; and there is a call for the Church to go out into the world, not only to save men but to find the Lord. The time is ripe for sacrifice."

The special report of the subcommittee which had met a committee from the Presbyterian Church of New South Wales to discuss union was presented, and discussion upon it was fixed for the following day.

Rules for the management of the widows and orphans' fund were adopted.

The Rev. James Buchan read the report of the temperance and moralities' committee.

On the motion of the ministerial secretary it was decided to forward a cable message to the Congregational Union of England and Wales expressing sympathy in the struggle which they were making against the proposed Education Bill before the English Parliament.

The report of the representatives of the council of churches was presented by Dr. Fordyce.

PROBLEMS FOR THE MODERN CHURCH—WORK FOR OURSELVES.

In the evening there was a large gathering in the church. The Rev. George Campbell presided. The incoming Chairman, Dr. Thomas Roseby, LL.D., F.R.A.S., delivered his annual address. He said:

I may begin by referring to the fatuous attempts still made in some quarters to keep up the conflict between religion and science. Such a conflict is only possible in such a case as that of the Church of Rome, wherein—speaking of her ascendency in the Middle Ages—Lecky has said that "every mental disposition which philosophy pronounces to be essential to a legitimate research was almost uniformly branded as a sin, and a large proportion of the most deadly intellectual vices were deliberately inculcated as virtues." But that is not the spirit of an intelligent Protestantism. The cardinal principle of Protestantism was laid down once for all in that great apophthegm of the Apostle, "Prove all things; hold fast that which is good." If, indeed, Science presumes to deny that there is anything beyond her own realm, she becomes insane, she raves. But none the less does Theology cease to rave when it presumes to dictate to Science as to when she shall keep her eyes open and when she should close them, or if it sets the authority of the Church, or the prevalent dogmas of an age, or the passionate feeling of the hour, above the authority of accredited history or verified science; or if it refuses to listen to the witness of Fact and Reason testifying to what lies fairly within their sphere.

Turning to the subject of what is known as the Higher Criticism, I may be permitted to point out that the term is simply a technical one to describe a particular province of critical inquiry. The studies included under that name are legitimated by exactly the same line of argument as that which justifies the Lower Criticism—that which has given to us our Revised Version of the Bible. Higher Criticism is simply a scholarly endeavour to find out all that is discoverable as to the original sources of the sacred writings. It is an attempt to discover their historical setting. It is the work—the absolutely necessary work—of comparing scripture with ancient monuments, sculpture with verified history, scripture with accepted science, and scripture with itself, in order to get the true perspective of the history, the chronological order and authorship of the various writings. It thus becomes evident that what is known as the Higher Criticism is as old as the Christian Church itself. The great Christian writers of the early centuries, whom we call the Fathers, were, many of them, higher critics. And it is to their critical examination of many ancient writings, and their regard to the relative estimate in which these writings were held in the early Church, that we owe, under God, our ruling Providence, the existence of our Bible in its present form. The question of including some books and excluding others was for them, as for us, a question of the Higher Criticism.

These are serious questions, and the work is an absolutely necessary work. It is considerations of this character which force upon us the conclusion—which Dr. Horton makes, as you remember, the thesis of his well-known book—that instead of our setting up a phantasm in our own minds beforehand of what divine revelation ought to be—a folly against which no one has offered a more weighty caution than the author of the "Analogy"—our business is, by reverent and patient study, to find out, largely by such help as the Higher Criticism furnishes, what revelation really is. Among the most serious problems which the modern Church has to face is the relation of religion to the social condition of the people. The paragraphs on this subject which I have written I must, however, ask you to take as read, for I am anxious to concentrate attention, in the bulk of my spoken address, on the urgent and practical subject of the religious situation and outlook in our own State and Commonwealth, and our duty in relation to it.

In our discussion of the great questions of science and criticism in their relations with religion, it is nevertheless always to be steadily borne in mind that the supremely important theory is to preserve unimpaired the moral and spiritual dynamic of religion itself. Let us keep a due proportion in things. I have stood up in this address for the ample rights of scholarly intelligence. I have claimed that we should keep the windows of the soul open to the sunlight and the fresh air of expanded and expanding knowledge. I have protested against any such modern forcing of "consciences that Christ made free," against which our Puritan father, Milton, provided in his famous sonnet. But all the same we must recognise that in an age and in a land like ours there are urgent calls of duty—calls to active service in the kingdom of God—to which we must respond with eager, prompt, strenuous fidelity. If I have pleaded the cause of Christian intelligence in this address it is not with the idea that we are to allow ourselves to become a set of dreaming, fastidious lotus eaters. Let us face the situation as we find it to-day in our own State and in the Commonwealth of Australia. Can we do anything to make our own Churches more efficient for the high purpose of the evangelisation of the people? Can we not render to our country and to God's Church a service more commensurate with our better knowledge, our wider outlook, our larger liberty?

It is much too easy for us to sit still, to regard ourselves as a sort of spiritual aristocracy—to despise the narrower outlook of others, to disparage the nobler work of others, while we ourselves may all the time be "making the great refusal"—and turning a listless ear to the trumpet call which summons us to take our share—our full share—in the evangelisation of our country. It will avail our scholarship and our culture very little to be in a position to censure what we may regard as the mistaken zeal or the disproportionate enthusiasm of others, if we ourselves refuse to come up to "the help of the Lord against the mighty." Our leaders in the home country, thank God, are fully alive to this danger. There is nothing more striking in the recent history of Congregationalism than the alliance, not now for the first time exhibited in God's Church, between knowledge and zeal, science and enthusiasm. The men amongst us in the home country are most keenly sensitive to the new critical learning, and most deeply imbued with the new humanitarian spirit are also the men most keenly interested in the work of world-wide evangelisation. If we may regard Dr. Fairbairn, Dr. Horton, J. R. Campbell, and Dr. M'Kennall as typical representative men, it is worthy of note that while their sympathy with the new learning has made them all willing to welcome the accepted conclusions of science, and of the higher criticism, and while their mere humane theology has made them all disciples of the larger Hope, their intense loyalty to Christ, and to the Christian gospel, has made them all impassioned advocates of missions to the heathen abroad, and of the social and spiritual amelioration of the masses of the people at Home. Let us follow their example. Let us share alike their freedom and their faith.

There are two sources from which the call comes to the Christian conscience of Australia. But they are calls—not only to active Christian service; they are calls to a service of sacrifice and self denial. One is to an entirely new interest in the evangelisation of our own country; the other is to the work of foreign missions. Concerning missions to the heathen, I shall take occasion to say a few earnest words towards the close of this address. But let me now speak—and I pray to be able to do so with some adequate sense of its vital urgency—of the claims upon us of our own State, and of our own Commonwealth.

I am sorry to say the outlook—the moral and spiritual outlook—in the chief towns and in the back blocks of our country is very far from reassuring. I do not wish to paint a dismal picture, or utter a Jeremiad, over the matter. But the facts themselves are sufficiently serious, and no good is ever done by thrusting one's head into the dust like an ostrich and refusing to see things as they really are.

I was impressed, a year or two ago, by the testimony of a man whom I knew well in regard to the moral and spiritual condition of one of the most important interior districts of Victoria. The diocese of the Bishop of Ballarat extended from that great mining centre to the banks of the Murray River. There was no man who knew the moral condition of Western Victoria better. There was no man more sincerely, earnestly, and intelligently interested in its highest welfare. He had known the district for nearly quarter of a century, had visited repeatedly every part of it. And although Dr. Thornton was a man apt sometimes to be unduly oppressed by a sense of the difficulties of his arduous task, he was yet a man of bright, sunny nature, and a man of abounding energy and zeal. But with a sad heart he felt himself bound to tell his fellow colonists the story of the remoter parts of his own diocese. I read his episcopal charge. I am prepared to admit that it was too pessimistic. But I still feel that the stern fact which he alleged was a wholesome thing for Victoria, and even for the Australian Natives' Association, to hear. He spoke, as Dr. Moorhouse—an abler and greater man than himself; indeed, the most eminent prelate we have ever had in Australia—had spoken, of the fearful moral risks of life in the back-blocks. He spoke of gross pleasures, of animal enjoyments, of the hardening influences on the life of this gambling madness, and of widespread indifference and neglect in respect to all that touches the higher life and the immortal destiny of a human soul.

My heart leaped up with gladness recently when I read the Moderator's address to the Presbyterian Synod of our own State. It was an address singularly like that of our own Mr. Pratt, given to the Congregational Union a few weeks before. It is abundantly evident that this thing is pressing on the minds of those in our spiritual Israel who have really a discernment of the times. The Moderator describes the neglect of religion—not only the neglect of the unfortunate people, but the much more culpable neglect of the Church itself—to care for the spiritual interests of the remoter citizenship of our Commonwealth. I was particularly struck with the coincidence of judgment of the Moderator and our own thoughtful young minister, who was able to speak with all the might of experience on the topic of his address. We published Mr. Pratt's address in the "Independent," and I dare say most of you have read it. They both speak of their people as making a singularly piteous appeal to our compassion. There are many of our remoter towns which are never visited by a minister from one year's end to another. When a minister does visit them he is received as an angel of God. These upstanding men, with unsophisticated minds, make very little of our religious differences. Even the difference between Protestant and Catholic vanishes when it becomes a matter of hearing the great name of God, and the beautiful name of Jesus. They make one universal Church of it for once. They gather round the preacher and eagerly listen to his message. That is Mr. Pratt's emphatic testimony. There seems to me to be something very intimate and touching in such an appeal to our sympathy as this. It may come very near home to us. Who are these people? They are our own fellow-citizens—it may indeed be our own children—Christianly trained, having themselves a love for the familiar ordinances of the Christian Church, left in the wilderness, no man caring for their souls, unvisited by minister or missionary from one year's end to the other!

I sincerely hope that something will be done for them. And I think there will. The manifest impression left by the Moderator's address on the Presbyterian Assembly, and that left on our own union by the address of Mr. Pratt, is, I hope, the promise of better things to come. Closely related to the question of the Church's greater efficiency for the discharge of her high function of evangelising the world is the question of her unity. The question of ecclesiastical union is, so to speak, in the air. It has happily matured itself in the case of some great churches at home and in Australia, churches so nearly akin that the division between them seemed not only unchristian, but unnatural. I shall leave untouched what may be called the domestic question of closer union among the churches of our own order. For there is a larger question, including the narrower one, on which it seems fitting and timely that our Congregational Union should speak. I mean the question of ecclesiastical union generally. And here the prime necessity is to recognise that no ecclesiastical union is possible by the suppression of any form of faith—sincerely and intelligently held—by any of the parties to it. The Christian Church has had nearly 2000 years' experience of attempts to secure union by the suppression of thought. That road to union is now definitely closed. When a Church comes with a credal symbol which defines everything beforehand, which forecloses discussion by definitions and dogmas which exclude three-fourths of the Christian world from its pale, or three-fourths of the Christian community in its neighbourhood, and offers no alternative but surrender or dishonest acquiescence, it is quite clear that union with intelligent, faithful, and honest men beyond its pale is impossible, and it is most important to recognise that these variations of Christian opinion arise out of natural differences between men—innate structural differences in the minds of men—and therefore some of the most marked ecclesiastical variations will prove permanent. Take men of such different types as Abelard and St. Francis, Calvin and Wesley, John Henry Newman and R. W. Dale, Canon Liddon and C. H. Spurgeon, and you probably are dealing with original elements of mental structure so diverse that you can never expect absolute coincidence of judgment between them. Here is the region wherein pectus facit theologum and the pectora—the hearts of men so greatly differ, the glow of feeling which suffuses all their thought, the atmosphere of feeling in which their minds breathe—that you may, consequently, find outstanding differences among such men—equally able, devout, and sincere—to the last.

But there is one most important region of theology wherein it might be possible to reduce their differences to a minimum—I refer to that region which may be described as strictly scientific. There is such a region. There is a large body of questions arising out of accurate biblical study of exactly the same character, and to be determined by exactly the same methods as those which arise in the study of any other history or literature. And they should be discussed in exactly the same temper. Such questions as that of the age and authorship of the several parts of the great Divine library that we call the Bible, the literary history of the Old Testament, the composite authorship of the Hexateuch, the date of the Deuteronomic code, the status and value of the books of the Old Testament which the Septuagint translators called the Paraleipomena, the dual authorship (if so be) of Isaiah, the date of the Book of Daniel—all such questions are to be decided by the same method, the same rigorously scientific method as that illustrated by Niebuhr in the history of earlier, and by Gibbon in the history of later Rome, by Grote and Jowett in the history of Greece, and by Freeman and Green in the history of England. To the great scholars of the Continent, of England, and especially of Scotland, who have given minute and diligent attention to these literary and historical inquiries, the Church of Christ has not yet adequately acknowledged how profound are her obligations.

Among these prolegomena of union it is most important to emphasise the need of a generous temper in handling the opinions of those with whom, largely on account of their innate differences of mental constitution, to which I have referred, we may find ourselves unable wholly to agree. We should learn, in such cases, to make the most of such points of agreement as there are. And it will seldom happen that we shall find no point of friendly contact on the subjects wherein we differ. Even old forms of statement, the credal definitions wherein the wisdom, the piety, and the faith of other ages sought to express itself, are always to be handled with reverence. So far as they can be retained, it is a wise thing to keep them. Keep them, but expand them. Keep them, but fill them with the new spirit. Let the thought and feeling of the living Church of to-day use everything about them that it can. The safest progress is that which is evolutionary. The most abiding movement is that which is least provocative of reaction. Hence it may be laid down as a sound principle never to mutilate an old credal symbol. Let it stand for what it is—a venerable historical embodiment of the faith of its time. Let the Church to which it belongs keep its deep sense of spiritual fellowship with the faith and worship of its fathers. But let it cease to be a test of the living faith of to-day. Let the Church to-day do what its spiritual ancestors did, and what it is just as much entitled and just as competent to do as they. Let it express its living faith in its own words. Let it make a declaration of that faith as nearly as may be in harmony with the older symbol, but not feeling itself bound to revive ancient and obsolete controversies, nor bound always to compare the old with the new. It is because the great Presbyterian Church of Australia, under the impulse of a genuine catholic spirit, and with a noble generosity of temper, has made an overture to other churches, and especially to ourselves, to see if we cannot find a common basis of union in some such declaration; that there is really kindled in us the astounding and magnificent hope that such a union between ourselves and them is possible. It is clearly possible. All that we have ever contended for in our refusal of credal subscription is practically conceded. We ourselves have never denied that the Church may declare its faith, may set it down in a series of Articles, and may refuse fellowship with those who break the compact of communion which the declaration implies. It is remarkable that the founders of the Congregational Union of England and Wales did this very thing themselves. And we have done it. The Act of Incorporation of the Congregational Union of our own State is based on such a declaration. And certainly if our beloved brethren of the Presbyterian Church and ourselves can agree upon such a declaration, every possible consideration of the religious situation, as it appeals to us in Australia, calls upon us with a trumpet voice to unite our spiritual forces for the evangelisation of our new Commonwealth. The Presbyterians and ourselves are next of kin. We share a common Puritan heritage. We share a common faith. We have suffered together in resistance to the same forms of spiritual tyranny. By every tie that can unite human souls we are brethren.

The impulse which is drawing these two members of one great ecclesiastical household together is one that must command the sympathy of every loyal disciple of the Great Master. It is (I do not scruple to say) an impulse of enthusiasm for that Master's kingdom. We find ourselves so situated here in Australia that it seems like treason to our Divine King to keep up "ancient forms of party strife," and to feel ourselves consequently divided and helpless in the face of a great opportunity, when our union—if it can be secured without sacrifice of principle on either side—would make us a power for the evangelisation of Australia of the highest value. If the esteemed Moderator of the Presbyterian Assembly in our own State; if I myself, in the course of this address, have given anything like a true account of the spiritual situation and outlook in Australia, the case for union is really urgent. It must be union on a broad basis. It must be truly comprehensive. It must include all recognised schools of thought at present within our churches. And it must not repress the freedom and expansion of the future. But if union is compatible with all this—and on our side I am sure it is—then this is no case wherein we may feel ourselves permitted to indulge any merely insular preferences. It seems, indeed, as if, by the sweet but peremptory compulsion of the Master, we were having this "greatness thrust upon us." How near akin we are! Both churches, during all their long and splendid history, have been marked by elements of intellectual and spiritual power that have ever given them a foremost place in the van of social and spiritual progress. And their union in Australia would give a new impulse to the great cause for whose prosperity we daily and passionately pray beyond the very dreams of hope.

Nor should we allow ourselves in this new land to be trammelled by the fetters of traditionalism. We are the makers of a new history. There is no reason why we should make everything in Australia an exact copy of the ecclesiastical patterns of the Old World. I remember Dr. Dale once expressing his regret and disappointment that we in Australia had done nothing but reproduce the old divisions, the old controversies, and the old ecclesiastical lines of demarcation, of which the Old World itself is all but weary. We need not feel bound to do this surely for ever. Is there to be no spiritual initiative here? Has the new life and the new conditions of life in Australia nothing of their own to contribute to the spiritual history of the race? Is our life to be only a pale and feeble replica of what has been elsewhere? Surely that would be mechanism—not life.

O Christian men, O my brethren and comrades in the Christian ministry, let us realise how "great and effectual a door" of opportunity has been opened to us in this Commonwealth of Australia. If there occurred a spiritual crisis in the history of England, when for faith and freedom our fathers refused to be silent, though the alternative was the prison or the stake; if there occurred a crisis in the spiritual history of our Anglo-Saxon race when the Pilgrim Fathers landed on Plymouth Rock, surely we are now at the very point of a new spiritual crisis—a new turning-point of destiny for the ages to come—here in Australia. If the seventy millions in the American Republic of to-day are, to no slight extent, what they are because of the men of the Mayflower, how shall not the character of the generations of the future here—when this continent shall have become equally populated—be largely determined by the character we impress on this nation, "mewing its mighty youth" in the earlier decades of this twentieth century. The need of Australia to-day is men—men of courage and wisdom—"sun-crowned men"—men cast in the same mould as the heroes of the Old England puritanism and of the New England pilgrims. It does not need numbers. There are no cases which illustrate with how small a band of elect souls it is possible to "subdue kingdoms and work righteousness" as those furnished by the early history of nations. It is nearly always a case of arma virumque cano. It is nearly always a mere handful. It is "the three hundred men that lapped." It may be fewer. One James Chalmers is enough to hallow the soil of New Guinea with his blood for ever,

> Of the three hundred grant but three
> To make a new Thermopylæ.

Have we got the men? Can we by our faith, our self-sacrifice, our courage, our fidelity help to raise up such men? Can we be such men ourselves? We have the name of Commonwealth; can we revive the spirit, can we recall the nobleness, can we recreate—here, under other skies—the unique glory of England's puritan Commonwealth?

I would have been glad to speak to you at equal length and with equal earnestness of the claims upon our compassion of the neighbour that is afar, as well as of the neighbour that is near. Did you read that wonderful sermon by Dr. Dale's successor, the Rev. J. H. Jowett, at the last anniversary of the London Missionary Society? Read and tremble, and wonder as you read concerning the spiritual requirements of the Kingdom of the Redeemer—the height of the Cross of our Lord Jesus Christ. Is it possible that our hearts should be so cold in the presence of that passion—that sacrifice to save mankind—that broke the mighty Saviour's heart? Shall the zeal of the Christian Church for all that is holiest and deepest in human experience and destiny be outdone by the affluent expenditure of the children of fashion and taste on forms of enjoyment which, at their best, may leave the soul still dead to God, and the life untouched to life's highest issues? We need not only an improvement here: we need a regeneration. We need to be born again into a conscious, and something like an adequate, realisation of what it is to be a follower of Christ. "Oh, that Thou wouldest rend the heavens, that Thou wouldest come down, that the mountains"—the mountains of our unbelief and our dull, dead, indifference—"might flow down at Thy presence."

> Oh, that in us the sacred fire
> Might now begin to glow,
> Burn up the dross of base desire,
> And make the mountains flow.

That is the spiritual dynamic needed to save the world. "The God that answereth by fire, let Him be God."

## LECTURE BY SANDOW.

Yesterday afternoon Sandow delivered a lecture at the Empire Theatre on his system of physical development to the men of the metropolitan fire brigade and their friends. There was a large attendance present. The various exercises were performed by a pupil of four years' standing, the benefits to be derived from each being described by Sandow. He laid stress upon the fact that the mind must be concentrated upon the exercises or no practical results would accrue. At the conclusion the lecturer signified his willingness to answer questions, and the audience fully availed themselves of the privilege given. He said that any man up to 40 years of age would derive benefit from the exercises, which should be practised at the beginning for about 15 minutes daily. Some of the men were instructed in the exercises by Sandow. A well-equipped gymnasium has recently been fitted up in connection with the headquarters fire station, largely owing to the work of Superintendent Webb. It has been well patronised by the men, who realise the benefit of a course of physical training for the work they are called upon to perform.

DO YOU LIKE PAIN? This sounds like a silly question, but it is a fact that many persons suffer from Rheumatism, Gout, Lumbago, Sciatica, Backache, Gravel, Bladder troubles, Bright's Disease, Indigestion, Biliousness, Sick Headache, Neuralgia, Anæmia, General Debility, Blood disorders or Jaundice, when they can be freed from pain by taking Warner's Safe Cure. This medicine, by establishing a healthy action of the kidneys and liver, expels from the system the urinary and biliary poisons which cause the trouble. Seek relief to-day.—Advt.

## CUSTOMS PROSECUTION.

In the Summons Division of the Central Police Court yesterday, before Mr. E. H. Wilshire, S.M., the part heard case of John Thomas Tamplin Donohoe against S. Mayer, of George-street, Sydney, for a breach of the Federal Customs Act was proceeded with. The information set forth that on May 12, 1902, at Sydney, S. Mayer did unlawfully present a certain document purporting to be a genuine invoice, to wit, an invoice for 93ft. rough chain bought of Henry Allday and Sons, Birmingham, which was not in fact a genuine invoice, whereby and by force of the statute in such case made and provided the said S. Mayer so offending as aforesaid has incurred a penalty exceeding £100, but the excess over and above such sum of £100 is hereby abandoned.

Mr. Garland, instructed by the Crown Solicitor, appeared for the complainant, and Mr. L. Levy for the defendant.

Alfred Theodore Salinger, traveller for S. Mayer and Co., said he saw the chains produced. He had seen exhibits 1 and 2 before. They came through the post to Mr. Mayer. Witness did not open them. He took them to Mr. Cousins at the Parcels Post-office and showed them to him, and asked him what the duty would be on these goods. He said he would have to see the goods before passing an opinion. Witness said "All right, we will furnish the other invoices first," referring to the entries he was passing, "and then do this," meaning exhibits 1 and 2. Mr. Cousins then opened the parcel which was produced in court last day. He looked at the goods and said, "This will be 25 per cent." Witness said, "I think they are 15 per cent." Mr. Cousins said, "See Mr. Passmore; he is at the Custom-house at the Quay." Witness went to see Mr. Passmore, taking the invoices with him, and showing them to him said, "What is the duty?" Mr. Passmore said "I will have to see the goods before telling you. I will go to the Parcels Office with you and look at the goods and tell you what the duty is." They then went to the Parcels Office, and Mr. Passmore opened the parcel and said, "They are 25 per cent." Mr. Passmore then suggested that they should see Mr. Lockyer. Witness did not express any opinion to Mr. Passmore and went with him to the Customs, taking a sample of the chains with them, and saw Mr. Lockyer. Mr. Passmore showed him the invoices and goods, and Mr. Lockyer said, "Twenty-five per cent., but you had better send samples to Melbourne for a final decision." They left the offices afterwards, witness saying that he would send samples to Melbourne. Mr. Passmore took charge of the samples and invoices and told witness that he would post them to Melbourne. As far as witness knew they did not hear anything else from Melbourne. Witness did not pass any entries for them or do anything besides asking the question he had spoken of.

To Mr. Garland: When witness received the invoices (exhibits 1 and 2) he got an invoice for padlocks and swivel chains. He first went to Mr. Cousins with these invoices; he did not go to the Customs Department first. Witness did not receive three invoices for passing entries. He got exhibit B for passing entries. He did not pass that entry before he went to Mr. Cousins. He knew all these invoices referred to one parcel that came out. He went to pass entries for exhibit B, not for exhibits 1 and 2. Witness had seen the schedule fixing the amount of customs on jewellery, and had seen the schedule fixing the amount of duty on machine-made chains in the rough. He did not show exhibits 1 and 2 to Mr. Cousins and say the duty should be the duty on machine-made chains in the rough. It was an idea of witness's that the duty should be 15 per cent. Mr. Mayer did not suggest that that was the duty. Witness had had experience in Customs valuation since the duty came on. He did not know what class of goods he expected these goods to pass as. He had not passed many entries, perhaps about 20. He knew that goods had to be passed to the schedule. He thought these goods ought to be passed as rough chains. Witness remembered when Mr. Cousins opened them and said: "25 per cent.? I think they should be 15 per cent." Witness had about three years' experience in the jewellery trade. Mr. Mayer told witness to see Mr. Cousins and ask him what the duty was on the swivels and bars. They were not the jewellery tariff. Rough chains were jewellery. Witness did not attempt to pass the entries for these rough chains. He never saw an invoice made out for rough chains, but he had for Prince of Wales chain. He could not say whether they were machine made. He could not say if the invoices for them were for machine-made chains, as they were written in German and he could not read it. Prince of Wales chains were used for alberts, necklets, and all purposes. All the goods were in one parcel. Goods were sometimes passed without being opened.

To Mr. Levy: Witness did not take the entries for rough-cut chains with him. He believed that he had to make inquiries, before passing the entries, at the parcels office. That was the only occasion his inquiries had been answered.

To the Bench: The letter of advice usually came with the invoice, but witness did not know if one had come with this one.

To Mr. Garland: On the other occasion witness made inquiries it was about the Prince of Wales chains, a long time ago.

S. Mayer, recalled:—

To Mr. Levy: He had not received any notification either from Melbourne or here from the Customs re the samples forwarded for inspection. The only answer he had was this summons.

To the Bench: Witness got some goods from Paris, receiving the invoices direct. Witness wrote to the agents in London, but did not mention that he wanted rough chains. The rough chains were only made in England. The man who sent them had been connected with the Australian trade for years, and had always been at home. In the tariff list witness sent he underlined certain goods. The agents sent him goods this way.

To Mr. Garland: He could not say if in the tariff list he sent he underlined "chain in the rough, machine made."

To the Bench: Witness could make chains cheaper here now than he could import them finished, and had been making them for three months. He got a machine to make them, six or seven months ago. He did not pay duty for it. There was nothing else to be done to the chains cut but to attach the bars and swivels to them. Witness had never had invoices made out before with rough chains at so much per foot. He had not made inquiries from other importers if they had received invoices in that way.

To Mr. Levy: When witness received the invoice in that way he handed it to his clerk to find out if the duty was 15 per cent. or 25 per cent.

To Mr. Garland: He must have mentioned 15 per cent., but did not think they looked at the schedule.

Bernard Cousins, officer of Customs at Sydney, said he remembered Mr. Salinger, a clerk of defendant coming to him with three invoices, and when examining them witness noticed that chains named in two invoices were not mentioned in an entry which was also presented with the invoices. Witness asked him what about the entries for the invoice with swivels on, and he said he wanted to see witness about them. Witness had not put any mark on the invoices. After checking the others he asked what about the rough chains, and he said he thought he ought to get them at 15 per cent. duty. The invoice did not give a description of the goods to his mind, and he suggested witness should look at them. Witness thought they should be passed as jewellery at 25 per cent. Witness had had experience, and these were not machine-made chains in the rough. Salinger said he would not take his opinion, and witness told him he could consult the Customs Department. That was all that took place then. The goods were inspected by Mr. Passmore in witness's presence some time after. When Salinger came to see witness he had an entry for padlocks and swivels.

To Mr. Levy: He could not say if Salinger had any entry for these particular goods other than the invoice. Witness did not see any. Witness put himself forward as an expert in jewellery. The chains produced were partly machine-made and partly hand-made. The chain now shown him (Prince of Wales) was machine-made within the meaning of the Act, and it was allowed in as such.

To the Bench: The entry of exhibit 1 did not fully describe the chain according to the tariff. The Prince of Wales chain was not regarded as jewellery.

To Mr. Levy: The entry of exhibit 1 was deficient in that it did not mention that the chain was machine-made. If it were properly invoiced it would show so much for fashion and so much for the weight of gold. That was the usual way of invoicing these goods. Witness did not want to add anything else as being wrong with the invoice.

William Rasey Bird, officer in the Customs Department, gave evidence as to the handwriting in exhibits 1 and 2, A, B, and C. Exhibits 1 and 2 were not in the same handwriting as A, B, and C. Exhibit 1 was, he thought, an attempted imitation of A, B, and C. There was a difference in the style of writing and figures. Exhibit 1 was written in cramped, laborious handwriting, much heavier than the others.

To Mr. Levy: Witness had seen a boy copying his master's handwriting. Witness was not in a position to say that exhibit 1 had not come from Allday and Sons. Exhibit 3 corresponded with 2. The totals on the exhibits aggregated the same.

To Mr. Garland: Exhibit 1 did not appear to be written in the ordinary rapid mercantile hand. It appeared to be written painstakingly.

At this stage the further hearing was adjourned till Friday, at 2.30 p.m.

## HASLUCK DRAMATIC CLUB.

The Hasluck Dramatic Club, under the direction of Miss Ada D. Hatchwell, revived Sydney Grundy's "The Glass of Fashion" at Queen's Hall last night. There was a large attendance, a fact which should prove of service to the funds of the Commonwealth Free Kindergarten. "The Glass of Fashion," written nearly 20 years ago, is a witty and mordant satire upon the evils of gambling and the mischief caused by irresponsible society journals, to one of which the title of the comedy refers. The play has been rather frequently performed here, and will doubtless be remembered. In the acting, Miss Ada Hatchwell played naturally and sympathetically as the embarrassed young wife, Nina Trevanion, and Miss Emmie Cary sustained the interest always taken in the smaller part of the helpful sister, Peg O'Reilly, though she did not attempt a brogue. Mr. Fred. Wilson was too heavy as Prince Borowski, and required a more elaborate make-up. A generally competent amateur cast included the following:—Colonel Trevanion, Mr. Stuart Clyde; John Macadam, Mr. George Gregg; Hon. Tom Stanhope, Mr. Percy Walley; Mr. Prior Jenkyn, Mr. Sidney T. Price (stage manager); Lady Combe, Miss Ida Wiltshire. Mr. W. G. Sattler conducted the orchestra. All the players were warmly applauded.

The most popular man in Leichhardt is Frank Smith, Draper. He is selling choice goods at low prices, and giving Co-operative Coupons.—Advt.

This week's "Sydney Mail" contains a splendid group photograph of the Country Press Association.—Advt.

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## SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.—Oct. 21.

Sydney, s., 1980 tons, Captain F. W. Marshall, from Fremantle. Passengers—Messrs. J. Smibert, Johnson, Radcliffe, Bloom, Porta, P. Scully, Greenwood, B. A. Leix, and W. Fuller, Mesdames Black and Roache, Misses K. Black and M'Auliffe, and 23 in the second saloon. Melbourne Steamship Company, agents.

Koonowarra, s., 1284 tons, Captain William Hurford, from Melbourne. Passengers—Mrs. Hurford, Mr. and Mrs. R. Belser, Messrs. Skinner, F. J. Gurnidge, Jones, Buchanan, Christie, Parson, and 9 in the steerage. Howard Smith Company, agents.

Fratelli Beverino, barque, 2179 tons, Captain Coliotto, from New York, via Melbourne. Mailer and Quereau, agents.

Coomonderry, s., 147 tons, Captain Canty, from South Coast ports. J. Aubin and Son, agents.

Hauroto, s., 1988 tons, Captain Newton, from Newcastle. F. W. Jackson, agent.

Newcastle, s., 1251 tons, Captain Thompson, from Newcastle. Newcastle and Hunter River Company, agents.

Bega, s., 567 tons, Captain Bishop, from South Coast ports. Illawarra S.N. Company, Limited, agents.

Barwon, s., 2996 tons, Captain J. Barton Rainey, from Melbourne. Huddart, Parker, and Co., agents.

Sapphire, s., 2127, tons, Captain Tomkin, from Melbourne. Pacific Islands Company, Limited, agents.

Eldorado, American schooner, 794 tons, Captain Smith, from Astoria. J. I. Falk and Co., agents.

Murray, s., 144 tons, Captain J. Dunnan, from Moruya and ports. A. Kethel, agent.

Augusta, s., 205 tons, Captain Tulloch, from Tweed River. Passengers—Mrs. Tulloch and 4 in the steerage. L. Tulloch, agent.

Friendship, s., 214 tons, Captain Sydney, from North Coast ports. B. M. Corrigan and Co., agents.

Willyama, s., 2705 tons, Captain M'Rae, from Newcastle. D. S. Yuill and Co., Limited, agents.

Zealandia, s., 2771 tons, Captain W. J. Wyllie, from Newcastle. Huddart, Parker, and Co., agents.

DEPARTURES.—Oct. 21.

Oonah, s., for Newcastle.
Moorabool, s., for Newcastle.
Aramac, s., for Cooktown, via ports.
Hauroto, s., for the South Seas.

PROJECTED DEPARTURES.—Oct. 22.

Zealandia, s., for Auckland, and ports; Newcastle Company's steamer, for Newcastle; Bellinger, s., for Camden Haven; Hastings, s., for Port Macquarie and Coast ports; Kincumber, s., for Laurieton, Kendall, and Camden Haven.

CLEARANCES.—Oct. 21.

Aramac, s., 2114 tons, Captain J. E. Butcher, for Cooktown via ports. Passengers:—Mrs. Tulloch, Mrs. E. Deighton, Mrs. Weiser, Mrs. Stubbs, Mrs. Partridge, Mrs. Stubbs and 2 children, Mrs. F. Coghlan and 2 children, Mrs. A. Pellegrine, Miss Holland, Miss Small, Messrs. J. Esay, J. Barr, M. L. Patterson, E. H. Levien, W. G. Watson, W. Tugrey, W. W. Tugrey, G. A. Hornemann, James Dellow, C. E. Deighton, C. F. Keen, A. Pellegrine, S. J. Robertson, Buchan, Partridge, A. J. Firkins, E. Stephens, J. Osmond, A. Doyle, and also 25 in the steerage.

Hauroto, s., 1988 tons, Captain Newton, for Suva and South Sea Islands. Passengers—Mesdames Walkin, Gooser, Misses Neil, Reimenschneider, Maxwell (2), Messrs. W. Braddeley, H. Knudsen, Blackburn, Reade, Cocker, Harris, W. P. Rankin, Reimenschneider, Masters Fenner and Gemmel Smith, and 20 in the steerage.

Kemona, s., 1425 tons, Captain C. Suffern, for Devonport, via Newcastle and Kembla, with through cargo.

Barwon, s., 2996 tons, Captain J. B. Rainey, for Melbourne, via Newcastle, with through cargo.

Wakatipu, s., 1945 tons, Captain M. Livingstone, for Launceston, via Newcastle, in ballast.

Oonah, s., 1757 tons, Captain H. Morrisby, for Hobart, via Newcastle, with through cargo.

Firth of Beauly, s., 2000 tons, Captain A. Emslie, for Devonport, via Newcastle, with through cargo.

Willyama, s., 2705 tons, Captain M'Rae, for Port Pirie, via Adelaide.

COASTERS OUTWARDS.—Oct. 21.

Euroka, s., for Macleay River.

IMPORTS.—Oct. 21.

(A special charge is made for consignees' notices in this column.)

Fratelli Beverino, barque, from New York: 471 cases axes and hatchets, 186 cases agricultural implements, 110 cases axles, 412 packages axle grease, 279 packages blacking, 30 packages bath tubs, 732 crates butter dishes, 29 bags beans, 8 cases baby carriages, 15 cases castings, 78 cases chair stock, 9 cases children's vehicles, 18 cases cages, 10 cases confectionery, 79 cases cartridges, 105 packages carriageware, 39 packages chair seats, 24 packages churns, 41 packages canned goods, 32 packages clay pigeons, 30 packages clothes pins, 30 barrels cod oil, 90 packages domestics, 339 packages drug sundries, 17 cases essential oil, 27 cases envelopes, 28 barrels epsom salts, 52 cases furniture, 66 cases fruit jars, 81 packages glassware, 193 packages hardware, 418 packages handles, 112 packages h.h. goods, 14 packages ink and mucilage, 368 bundles iron pipe, 153 pieces iron pipe, 24 cases kalsomine, 573 cases 145 barrels lubricating oil, 60,000ft. sycamore, 5501ft. ash, 5163ft. hickory, 49281t. oak, 2560 pieces staves, 319 packages lampware, 52 packages lanterns, 31 packages lawn mowers, 20 barrels lacquer, 19 cases bolts and nuts, 2251 packages nails and tacks, 17 cases paper tags, 25 cases painkiller, 132 bales paper bags, 160 packages paint, 105 rolls 119 cases 55 bales 54 bundles paper, 19 packages pumps, 25 barrels plaster, 238,845 pieces roofing slate, 261 packages roofing material, 142 packages refrigerators, 49 packages sinks, 14 packages sandpaper, 33 packages scales, 10 packages soaps and perfumery, 19 packages shoe wax, 42 barrels soda, 37 cases shovels, 83 cases sewing machines, 75 cases sarsaparilla, 55 cases shade rollers, 56 cases tools, 11 cases tinware, 25 barrels tar, 200 coils wire, 150 cases wood naphtha, 11 cases wringers, 66 crates wheels, 42 packages windmills, and 396 packages washboards.

Barwon, s., from Melbourne: 147 bags concentrates, 20 bags slimes, 400 bags malt, 41 cases tiles, 75 packages iron, 40 boxes butter, 18 cases jam, 190 pigs, 399 cases empty bottles, 25 barrels oil, 1917 bags chaff, 230 bags onions, 72 bags bolts and nuts, 40 boxes soap, 28 half-cases lemons, 486 sheep, 544 bags sugar, 39 bags beans, 70 sacks flour.

Sydney, s., from Geraldton, via ports: 19 cases eggs, 13 packages bacon, 12,407 bags chaff, 1500 bags wheat, 10 cases cyanide, 172 bars iron, 447 bags maize, 120 cases and 40 half-cases dried fruit.

Moorabool, s., from Adelaide: 818 bags bark, 84 packages bacon, 11,028 bags chaff, 185 boxes soap, 14 casks eggs, 80 hogsheads wine, and sundries.

Augusta, s., from Tweed River: 44 logs pine, 10 cases eggs, 70 hides, 5 bundles sheepskins, 14 tons iron, 130 sundry packages.

Eldorado, American schooner, from Astoria: 1,000,100ft. lumber.

Oct. 22.

Kumano Maru, J.M.S., from Japan and China, via ports: 2000 cases fish oil, 122 cases curios, 55 cases silk, 1630 bags sulphur, 447 rolls matting, 100 bags rapeseed, 18 bales straw braid, 24 packages bamboo blinds, 39 cases japanware, 13 cases camphor, 378 packages tea, 66 packages chairs, 4018 bags sugar, 2 boxes prepared opium, 40 bags chillies, 30 boxes peajuice, 2302 bags rice, 75 bags turmeric, and sundries. Optional: 841 packages blinds, 140 bags seed, 547 bags peanuts, 4980 bags rice, 50 cases oil.)

TELEGRAPHIC SHIPPING NEWS.

PORT DARWIN.—Arrival: Oct. 21, Waihoi, s., from Wyndham.

THURSDAY ISLAND.—Arrival: Oct. 21, Maranoa, s., from the Gulf.

COOKTOWN.—Departure: Oct. 21, Merrie England, s., for New Guinea.

BOWEN.—Departure: Oct. 21, Barcoo, s., for Brisbane.

FLATTOP.—Arrival: Oct. 21, Wodonga, s., from Cooktown. Departure: Oct. 21, Arawatta, s., for Cooktown.

ROCKHAMPTON.—Arrival: Oct. 21, Burwah, s., from Brisbane.

BUNDABERG.—Arrival: Oct. 21, Eurimbla, s., from Brisbane.

BRISBANE.—Arrivals: Oct. 21, Leura, s., from Townsville; Gulf of Bothnia, s., from Liverpool, via ports; Taghaterro, s., from Sydney. Departures: Oct. 21, Dawn, s., for Rockhampton; Tungtin, s., for Singapore; Tyrian, s., for Townsville; Cloncurry, s., for Sydney; Yaralla, s., for Maryborough; Mildura, s., for Rockhampton; Lady Musgrave, s., for Grafton; Warrego, s., for Cairns.

TWEED HEADS.—Oct. 21, Enterprise, schooner, Gwenloline, schooner, Eliza Allen, brig, all barbound at 5.30 p.m.

RICHMOND HEADS.—Departures: Oct. 21, St. George, s., at 10.40 a.m., City of Grafton, s., at 10.50 am. Passed: Dorrigo, s., at 7 a.m., north; Eastern, s., at 7.15 a.m., Kumano Maru, J.M.S., at noon, Chingtu, s., at 5.15 p.m., steamer like Allinga at 5.10 p.m., all south.

CLARENCE HEADS.—Passed: St. George, s., at 2.10 p.m., Kumano Maru, s., at 2.10 p.m., City of Grafton, s., at 2.90 p.m., all south; large steamer with yellow funnel and black top at 5 p.m., north.

WOOLGOOLGA.—Departure: Oct. 21, Dorrigo, s., at 9 a.m., for Byron Bay. Passed: Eastern, s., passed Solitary Island at 1.45 p.m., south; a steamer, yellow funnel and black top, at 2.30 p.m., north.

TRIAL BAY.—Departure: Oct. 21, Burrawong, s., at 11 a.m.

SMOKY CAPE.—Passed: Oct. 21, Eastern, s., at 4.50 p.m., south; Harold, ketch, at 4.30 p.m., north.

PORT MACQUARIE.—Departure: Oct. 21, Trilby, s., at noon, for Sydney.

TACKING POINT.—Passed: Oct. 21, Lansdowne, ketch, at 1.15 p.m., north.

CAMDEN HAVEN HEADS.—Arrival: Oct. 21, Phil Forbes, ketch, at 2.20 p.m.

CROWDY HEAD.—Passed: Oct. 21, Nymboida, s., at 2.10 p.m., south.

MANNING HEADS.—Departure: Oct. 21, Wyalong, s., at 8 a.m.

CAPE HAWKE.—Arrivals: Oct. 21, Shannon, schooner, at 9.5 a.m., Stanley, schooner, at 10 a.m., both from Sydney; Aleda, schooner, at 9.30 a.m., from Newcastle. Departure: Paris, schooner, at 9.20 a.m., bound south.

SEAL ROCKS.—Passed: Oct. 21, Wyalong, s., at 3.35 p.m., Titus, s., at 5.20 p.m., Nymboida, s., at 6.5 p.m., all south.

PORT STEPHENS.—Arrivals: Oct. 21, Federal, s., in Nelson's Bay; a steamer like Maud Weston, at 7.10 p.m., in Nelson's Bay. Passed: Willinga, schooner, at 7 a.m., south.

NEWCASTLE.—Arrivals: Oct. 21, Ouraka, s., from Melbourne; Namoi, s., Archer, s., Tamar, s., Wallsend, s., Sophia Ann, s., Defender, s., Beagle, s., Isabella, schooner, Albany, s., Moorabool, s., Alice, s., Eurora, s., Maud Weston, s., Wollumbin, s., from Sydney; Oonah, s., from Sydney; Queen Alexandria, s., from Brisbane. Departures: Oct. 21, Kooringa, s., for Fremantle; Alice Templeton, ketch, for the North; Willyama, s., for Port Pirie via Sydney; Zealandia, s., for Auckland, via Sydney; Alala, s., for Port Pirie, via Wallaroo; Sophia Ann, s., for Port Stephens; Defender, s., for Bellinger River; Maud Weston, s., Namoi, s., Tamar, s., for Sydney; Alice, s., Beagle, s., Isabella, schooner, Majorie, s., Archer, s., Wallsend, s., for Sydney; Wollumbin, s., for Tweed; Albany, s., for Ocean Island; Foveric, s., for Vancouver, via Suva.

CATHERINE HILL BAY.—Arrival: Oct. 21, Illaroo, s., at 5 a.m., from Sydney. Departure: Oct. 21, Illaroo, s., at 10.40 a.m., for Sydney.

BARRANJOEY.—Departures: Oct. 21, Arab and Rozelle, ketches, early; Woy Woy, s., at 4 p.m.

SOUTH HEAD.—Passed: Oct. 21, Kooringa, s., at 12.39 p.m., New Guinea, s., at 4.53 p.m., both north.

BELLAMBI.—Arrivals: Oct. 21, Malachite, s., at 4 a.m., Helen Nicoll, s., at 5 a.m. Departure: Oct. 21, Barrabool, s., at 5 a.m., for Melbourne.

WOLLONGONG.—Arrivals: Oct. 21, Sphere, s., at 5 a.m., Palmerston, s., at 9 a.m., both from Sydney; a small steam launch at 1 p.m.; Kurrara, s., at 5 p.m., from Sydney. Departure: Oct. 21, Mount Kembla, s., at 6.40 a.m., for Port Kembla; Palmerston, s., at 1.30 p.m. for Sydney.

CROOKHAVEN HEADS.—Arrival: Oct. 21, Ruby, ketch, at 4.30 p.m., from Wollongong.

JERVIS BAY.—Passed: Oct. 21, Bunimyong, s., at 8.50 a.m., Barrabool, s., at 10.40 a.m., one of Adelaide Company's steamers at 4 p.m., all south.

BATEMAN'S BAY.—Arrival: Oct. 21, Peterborough, s., at 11.10 a.m., from Sydney.

BERMAGUI.—Arrival: Oct. 21, Eden, s., at 9.15 a.m., from Wollongong. Departure: Eden, s., at 10.40 a.m., for Tathra.

GABO ISLAND.—Departure: Oct. 21, Lightning, yawl, at 8.50 a.m., Dart, yawl, at 7.50 a.m. Passed: A steamer like yellow funnel at 8.20 a.m., north.

WILSON'S PROMONTORY.—Passed outward: Oct. 21, a steamer at 2.45 p.m.

MELBOURNE.—Arrivals: Oct. 21, Wollowra, s., from Adelaide; Euryalus, s., from Calcutta. Departures: Oct. 21, Ula, s., for Sydney; Rockton, s., for Sydney; Wollowra, s., for Sydney; Coogee, s., for Launceston; Kawatiri, s., for Strahan; Chillagoe, s., for Newcastle.

HOBART.—Arrival: Oct. 21, Tambo, s., at 5.35 a.m., from Sydney.

LOW HEAD.—Departure: Oct. 21, Pateena, s., at 5 p.m., for Melbourne.

DEVONPORT.—Arrivals: Oct. 21, Koonya, s., at 7.50 a.m., from Port Kembla; Flinders, s., at 10.20 a.m., from Melbourne. Departure: October 21, Flinders, s., at 2.15 p.m., for Melbourne.

MACQUARIE HEADS (TAS.).—Arrival: Oct. 21, Kittawa, s., at 11.5 a.m., from Newcastle, via Port Kembla.

PORT PIRIE.—Arrivals: Oct. 20, Era, s., from Newcastle. Oct. 21, Dovedale, s., from Sydney and Newcastle.

ADELAIDE.—Departures: Oct. 21, Wild Wave, barque, for Hobart; Anglian, s., for Fremantle; Talune, for Melbourne.

CAPE BORDA.—Passed inward: Oct. 21, R.M.S. Victoria, at 9 p.m.

ALBANY.—Departures: Oct. 21, Marloo, s., and Oorcyana, s., for Fremantle.

BRITISH AND FOREIGN SHIPPING.

LONDON, Tuesday.

Arrivals.

At London: Ruahine, s., from New Zealand ports, via Monte Video (sailed from Wellington Aug. 27); Jessie Osborne, barque, from Wellington (sailed June 7).

At Liverpool: John Gill, barque, from Kaipara (sailed June 2).

Departures.

For Sydney: Barbarossa, s., from Bremen.

For Adelaide: Lita, German ship, from the Baltic; Robert Duncan, four-masted barque, from Garston.

NEW ZEALAND SHIPPING.

BLUFF.—Arrival: Oct. 21, Monowai, s., from Hobart. Departure: Oct. 21, Monowai, s., for Hobart.

AUCKLAND.—Arrival: Oct. 21, Empress, barque, from Sydney and Newcastle.

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## METEOROLOGICAL REPORTS.

Observatory, Tuesday.

Average rainfall for 43 years, 49·828.
Average for 44 years, January 1 to September 30, 37·801.
Rainfall from January 1 to date, 34·285.
Temperature.—Maximum, 71·9; minimum, 57·4.
Humidity.—At 9 a.m., 70; 3 p.m., 62.

BAROMETER READINGS.

Carnarvon, 29·97; Perth, 30·18; Esperance Bay, 30·02; Eucla, 29·80; Streaky Bay, 29·86; Adelaide, 29·99; Robe, 30·00; Portland, 30·07; Melbourne, 30·11; Wilson's Promontory, 30·13; Gabo Island, 30·08; Cape St. George, 30·08; Sydney, 30·14; Newcastle, 30·15; Port Macquarie, 30·17; Clarence Heads, 30·12; Brisbane, 30·11; Rockhampton, 30·05; Mackay, 30·03; Cooktown, 30·02.

RAINFALLS.

New South Wales (24 hours ended 9 a.m.):—Queanbeyan 11 points, Bungendore 2, Bombala 2, Bega 4, Eden 2, Gabo Island 2, Seal Rocks 34, Manning Heads 20, Taree 4, Camden Haven 16, Port Macquarie 15, Woolgoolga 1.

SYNOPSIS AT 9 A.M.

New South Wales (for 24 hours ended 9 a.m.).—Fine generally, excepting a few coastal showers.

Victoria and Straits.—Scattered clouds on the coast; clear inland.

New Caledonia.—Clear at Gomen.

Western Australia.—Cloudy to raining in the south-west; clear elsewhere.

South Australia.—Unsettled generally.

Tasmania.—Unsettled throughout.

Queensland.—Fine and warm.

Northern Australia.—Thunderstorms.

New Zealand.—Cloudy throughout.

COASTAL REPORTS AT 8 P.M.

Tweed Heads, S.E., fresh, cloudy, sea heavy; Byron Bay, E.S.E., light, fine, sea smooth; Ballina, E.S.E., cloudy, sea smooth; Clarence Heads, S., light, fine, sea moderate; Woolgoolga, S.E.E., light, fine, sea smooth; Bellinger Heads, S.E., light, fine, sea smooth; Nambucca Heads, E.S.E., light, fine, sea moderate; Port Macquarie, S.E., light, fine, sea smooth; Manning Heads, N.E., light, fine, sea smooth; Seal Rocks, N.E., light, fine, sea smooth; Port Stephens, N.E., light, fine, sea smooth; Newcastle, N.E., fresh, fine, sea smooth; Lake Macquarie Heads, N.E., light, fine, sea moderate; Catherine Hill Bay, N.E., light, fine, sea moderate; Barranjoey, N.E., light, fine, sea smooth; South Head, N.E., moderate, fine, sea slight; Wollongong, N.E., fresh, fine, sea slight; Kiama, N.E., light, fine, sea smooth; Crookhaven Heads, N.E., light, fine, sea smooth; Jervis Bay, E.N.E., light, fine, sea smooth; Ulladulla, calm, dull, sea smooth; Bateman's Bay, calm, dull, sea smooth; Moruya, E.N.E., light, dull, sea smooth; Eden, N.E., light, fine, sea smooth; Green Cape, S.E., light, cloudy, sea smooth; Gabo Island, S., light, cloudy, sea smooth.

FORECASTS AT 9 P.M.

New South Wales.—Fine and warm to hot, followed by thunderstorms and showers, first affecting the far west; squally northerly winds, changing to cool southerly in a day or two.—H. C. Russell.

South Australia.—Sultry and unsettled thunderstorms in places, cool changes later; variable rain expected.—C. Todd.

Victoria.—Fine but gradually becoming cloudy and sultry; light, variable winds, chiefly easterly inland, and southerly near the coast; sea smooth.—P. Baracchi.

Western Australia.—Possibly an occasional shower still on the south coast, otherwise fine and becoming warmer.—W. E. Cooke.

BRISBANE WEATHER BUREAU FORECASTS.

New South Wales.—Generally fine, but "Philp" and "Glassey" combining will in course bring more rain; thunderstorms and strong local blows are probable; hail and variable winds from between N.E., N.W., and S.W. later, preceded by heat and dust storms; sea moderate.

Western Australia.—Squally and wet along the southern coast from between south-west and south-south-east under the Antarctic disturbance "Glassey;" finer in the central parts; monsoonal thunderstorms shortly in the north under a new disturbance named "Philp."

Central Australia and Northern Territory.—Cloudy, sultry, some thunder and rains, northerlies to variables under "Philp."

South Australia.—Cloudy and very unsettled; thunderstorms, useful rains, north-westerlies to south-westerlies, rising seas ere long under "Glassey."

Queensland.—Although mainly fine, the new monsoon "Philp" will probably cause more beneficent rain in various parts shortly in connection with electric disturbance, preceded by local variable blows and dust storms. We regard "Philp" as a saving factor. Sea moderate.

Victoria.—Temporarily fine; morning fogs. Considerable cloud over Tasmania; thereafter same as South Australia under "Glassey."

New Zealand.—Cloudy and gloomy, very unsettled, north-westerlies to south-westerlies, rain, strong local squalls under "Lesina."

New Caledonia and Adjacent Islands.—Generally fine.

Lord Howe and Norfolk Islands.—Unsettled, with some rain, under the northern penumbra of "Lesina."

ASTRONOMICAL MEMORANDA FOR OCT. 22.

Sun rises at 5.6, sets at 6.14; Moon, 11.59 p.m., 8.58 a.m.; Mercury, 4.51 a.m., 5.51 p.m.; Venus, 4.49 a.m., 5.23 p.m.; Mars, 2.37 a.m., 1.31 p.m.; Jupiter, 11.41 a.m., 1.20 a.m.; Saturn, 10.24 a.m., 11.57 a.m.

New moon October 31; full moon November 16.

High water at Fort Denison, 12.40 a.m.

## THE MAILS.

THIS DAY.

South Australia.—Overland, 5.30 p.m.

Victoria.—Overland, *5.30 and 7 p.m.

* Letters for Melbourne only will be accepted without late fee for the express from 5.30 to 6.30 p.m., if posted in the special box, which will be open for that purpose during the time stated.

Queensland.—Overland, †3.45 p.m.

† Letters for Queensland will be accepted without late fee for the northern express from 3.45 to 4.15 p.m., if posted in the special box, which will be open for that purpose during the time stated.

‡Durban, direct.—Kent, 1 p.m.

Auckland, &c., N.Z. (direct).—Zealandia, 3 p.m.

Western Australia, via Adelaide.—Paroo, 5.30 p.m.

THURSDAY.

Macleay River.—Burrawong, 8 a.m.

Eden.—Bega, 9 a.m.

Hobart.—Oonah, 11 a.m.

Samarai (British New Guinea), via Brisbane.—Aramac, 8.45 p.m.

Ocean Island.—Albany, 4 p.m.

‡United Kingdom, Continent of Europe, India, and Mauritius, via Adelaide.—G.M.S. Oldenburg, 4.30 p.m.

G.M.S. Oldenburg (letters addressed to persons on board).—Overland to Adelaide, 4.30 p.m.

Tasmania, via Melbourne.—Pateena, 5.30 p.m.

Java, via Adelaide.—Stassfurt, 5.30 p.m.

Adelaide, via Melbourne.—Kalgoorlie, 7 p.m.

FRIDAY.

Launceston and North-west Coast of Tasmania, via Eden.—Wakatipu, 10 a.m.

Tasmania, via Melbourne.—Australian, 5.30 p.m.

Strahan, Zeehan, and West Coast of Tasmania, via Melbourne.—Kawatiri, 7 p.m.

Tasmania, via Melbourne.—Flora, 7 p.m.

SATURDAY.

Wellington, &c., N.Z. (direct).—Mokoia, noon.

Monte Video, Buenos Ayres, Chili, and Rio Janeiro, from Wellington.—Rimutaka, noon.

Brisbane.—Peregrine, 1 p.m.

Richmond River.—Tomki, 1 p.m.

Clarence River.—Kyogle, 8 p.m.

Tasmania, via Melbourne.—Flinders, 9.30 p.m.

‡ Western Australia, via Adelaide.—Kalgoorlie, 9.30 p.m.

Cooktown, Thursday Island, British New Guinea, and Gulf Ports, via Brisbane.—Maranoa, 9.30 p.m.

MONDAY.

Auckland, &c., N.Z., Navigators' Islands, Honolulu, United States of America, Canada, Central America, West Indies, United Kingdom, and Continent of Europe.—Oceanic steamship Ventura, 11 a.m., except for letters placed in the foreign receiver, G.P.O., which may be posted for inclusion in the mail up to 11.30 a.m., without late fee.

‡Chili and Peru, via San Francisco.—Oceanic steamship Ventura, 11 a.m.

Gilbert Islands, from Apia.—John Williams, 11 a.m.

Eden.—Bega, 1 p.m.

Tasmania, via Melbourne.—Coogee, 5.30 p.m.

‡ Correspondence intended for transmission by this vessel must be specially endorsed with the name of the ship.

PARCEL MAIL.

Parcels addressed to the United Kingdom and Egypt, via the United Kingdom, will be received at the Parcels Office, 151 Castlereagh-street, for transmission per Orient Company's steamer Omrah up to 9.30 a.m. on SATURDAY, October 25. Parcels addressed to Fiji and Canada will be received at the Parcels Office, 151 Castlereagh-street, for transmission per C.A. steamer Aorangi up to 9.30 a.m. on MONDAY, November 3. Parcels addressed to Germany will be received at the Parcels Office, 151 Castlereagh-street, for transmission per German steamer Rhein up to 10.30 a.m. on SATURDAY, November 8. Parcels addressed to France will be received at the Parcels Office, 151 Castlereagh-street, for transmission per M.M. steamer Australien up to 9.30 a.m. on MONDAY, October 27. Parcels addressed to Cape Colony will be received at the Parcels Office, 151 Castlereagh-street, for transmission per Aberdeen steamer Nineveh up to 5 p.m. on TUESDAY, October 28.

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The Sydney Morning Herald.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 22, 1902.

General Botha and Commandants de Wet and Delarey have arrived at the Hague from Berlin.

In the Cape House of Assembly a bill fixing the contribution to the Imperial navy at £50,000 per annum has been read the third time.

The Mullah who is opposing Colonel Swayne in Somaliland is not the Mad Mullah, but is another fanatical leader.

The home newspapers criticise the Foreign Office for inadequately supporting Colonel Swayne.

Fears are expressed that tribes which have hitherto remained passive will now join the Mullah.

The Imperial Government has promised to send any further reinforcements which may be needed.

An Austrian officer is advising the Mullah.

Turkey has constructed a fort in Bab-el-Mandeb commanding Perim Island, which is a British possession.

The Porte has arranged for the conversion of the Customs loan, thereby realising a profit of £2,000,000. Many creditors are clamorous for payment.

Alleged grave robbers have stolen 1200 bodies from cemeteries in Indiana (U.S.A.) during the past five years.

An open-air meeting attended by 10,000 persons at Sofia has approved of the Macedonian insurrection. A similar meeting has been held at Philippopolis.

While a crowd was watching the rescue of a drowning boy at Stamboul the parapet of a bridge collapsed, precipitating 300 persons into the water. Seventy-five persons were drowned.

Lord Milner's sympathetic interest in the burghers has aroused their enthusiasm.

They condemn the Boer Generals coquetting on the Continent, as it makes it difficult for Great Britain to treat the Boers generously.

General Viljoen's friendly attitude is approved by most of the Boers, who express contempt for the Afrikander Bond and oppose attempts to establish Bond branches in the Transvaal.

Sir Edmund Barton will probably leave Sydney for Melbourne by this evening's express.

The annual prize-meeting of the National Rifle Association of New South Wales was continued yesterday. Mr. J. T. Lake (South Australia) won the Randwick, and he is leading in the aggregate of first and second stages of the King's.

Mr. R. C. Dawson (St. Leonards) won the 1000 yards' match with a score of 40 out of a possible 50.

Mr. W. G. Willoughby (Victoria), Mr. W. C. Coulter (Randwick), and Lieutenant Rickwood (Naval Brigade) tied for first place in the Sydney match, 10 shots at 600 yards, with scores of 49 each.

Sir Edmund Barton explains that the order of business for next session will be determined by the Cabinet in consultation, as the announcement that preferential trade would be a prominent feature might seem discourteous to his colleagues.

The thirty-seventh annual session of the Congregational Union of New South Wales began yesterday, and was continued in the afternoon and evening.

The chairman's address was delivered by the Rev. Dr. T. Roseby, who referred amongst other things to the question of union as promulgated by the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church of Australia.

The railway men connected with the Goulburn centre held their annual demonstration to Crookwell on Monday.

The Rev. Principal Harper, of St. Andrew's College, delivered an interesting lecture on "The Old Testament" in St. Stephen's Church yesterday.

A rare shipment of live stock, consisting of pure Spanish-American sheep, has arrived by the steamer Queen Wilhelmina. The sheep are now in quarantine.

Mr. Seddon, in an interview at Hobart, emphatically denied the statement that he attempted to float a loan for New Zealand whilst in England. Mr. Seddon also stated that he had no intention of resigning his position in New Zealand.

At the last Balmain Hospital committee meeting it was reported that the result of the recent appeal in Balmain by the Hospital Saturday Fund on behalf of its industrial collections did not point to the prospect of continued success.

The board appointed to inquire into the charges made against Dr. Stuart MacBirnie, medical officer of the metropolitan lunatic asylums, Victoria, has completely exonerated him.

The Adelaide Chamber of Commerce has represented to the Government the inconvenience which will arise from the abolition of the free transmission of shipping telegrams. The South Australian Cabinet will consider the matter.

Great indignation is expressed in commercial and shipping circles, and also among the waterside workers, owing to the action of the Post Office Department.

The tramway employees held their annual picnic at Clontarf yesterday. Complimentary references were made to the Railway Commissioners and to the tramway administration.

Mr. Leslie Barber, owner of Humewood station, Yass, has died from the result of injuries received through being thrown against a tree from a horse he was riding.

The inquest upon the body of Henry William Lardner, who died at the Central Police Station on Saturday night, was concluded yesterday. The jury returned an open verdict.

A number of gentlemen yesterday made an inspection of the majolica mantelpiece designed by Mr. Illingworth. Mr. B. R. Wise in the course of a speech said the majolica industry was particularly suitable to Australia.

The bill to continue the existing Factories' Act in Victoria has reached its second reading stage.

The Arbitration Court continued its sittings at Wollongong yesterday regarding the southern miners' dispute.

Additional issues were submitted on behalf of the miners, one being that miners employed under the status of a deputy should be directed to join the miners' union.

The head officers of the Railway Department waited upon the Railway Commissioners yesterday and congratulated them upon their re-appointment.

The championship meeting of the Royal Melbourne Golf Club was commenced at the Sandringham links yesterday.

In the Legislative Assembly last night the Methodist Union Bill was carried through committee.

At a conference between employers and employees in the hairdressing trade last night, it was resolved that 49 hours should constitute a week's work.

It was announced at a meeting of the Tailoresses' Union at the Queen's Hall last night that the working conditions had improved by 50 per cent. during the past 12 months.

Mr. Watson, M.P., leader of the Labour party in the House of Representatives, delivered an address at Wagga last night and reviewed the work of the federal session.

Mr. J. H. Carruthers delivered an address on the political situation at the School of Arts, Burwood, last night, and was well received.

The diocesan festival in connection with the Church Society (Home Mission Fund) took place in the Town Hall last night. The State Governor presided at the public meeting.

There was a continued lack of animation in the Stock and Share market yesterday. Quotations were almost the same as on the previous day.

The Mining market was also very quiet, and prices showed few quotable changes.

In the Import market there was only a small volume of trade. In one or two instances there was a fall in prices.

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## EMIGRATION TO SOUTH AFRICA.

There are indications, not so much in this State as in others, that South Africa is still attracting the attention of Australians as a field for colonisation in which they may try their fortunes anew. This seems to be the case more particularly in Victoria, where the conditions of the people are not so comfortable after thirty years of protection as the politicians of the past generation predicted they would prove. Yesterday we published a telegram from that State to the effect that notwithstanding the reports as to the disorganised condition of the South African labour market the emigration of able-bodied Victorians to South Africa continues. There is no difficulty to anyone familiar with what may be called unattached able-bodied labour in Australia, in understanding the reasons for such a movement. It has its origin largely in restlessness, the outcome of our peculiar industrial conditions. There has always been with us an industrial fringe ready to change its location at a day's notice, whether to go out West, to wander about the colonies in search of journeyman's work, to be off to Western Australia, or to go to South Africa. Then our unattached working man suffers from the circumstance that he has been accustomed to being hand-fed by the different colonial Governments. To such as these the South African labour market offers a special temptation, because the conditions there and the services of Australians during the war are understood to encourage a belief that emigrants from the Commonwealth will have some sort of a claim on the benevolence of the Government. It is a mistaken belief, as all the reports from South Africa show. The authorities have too many urgent local industrial and other problems on their hands to spare time for people who increase their difficulties from outside.

The recently-appointed Commercial Agent from this State reported in a memorandum to Sir John See, received about the middle of the month, that it would be advisable for the Government to warn people against going to South Africa in search of employment. Some little time back we published a report to the same effect from a correspondent who accompanied some of our troops to South Africa, and who therefore may be supposed to have had exceptional opportunities for judging of the prospects offered by the labour market to Australians. His account was distinctly discouraging, and the same tone runs through all the communications to hand. Mr. Valder, the State Commercial Agent, reports that so far as Australian chances in the casual labour market are concerned, they were more than amply covered by the men of our contingents, mostly clerks or unskilled labourers, who remained behind. As might have been expected, the demand for this kind of service was soon met and the market swamped, as our agent puts it. According to his account, indeed, it was more than swamped; for his memorandum tells the Premier of such a scarcity of employment that many of the men returned later on to Australia, while others remained stranded in Capetown at the date of his communication. "To make matters worse," he says, "every steamer from Australia brings out a large contingent of the same class of men." This bears out the information conveyed in our telegram from Melbourne yesterday. So far as the able-bodied worker is concerned, the reason he gives for leaving Australia in search of employment elsewhere is that casual labour is at a discount here by reason of the local unemployed. But the report from South Africa shows that the same conditions exist there. The Government has found it necessary to establish a labour bureau and a temporary barracks, or presumably what we would call a shelter-shed, to accommodate the unemployed. It does not appear that even the Australian unemployed would have much to gain by emigration under these circumstances; but when it is remembered that those who go to South Africa must have at least some little money in hand for expenses it certainly does appear strange that so much trouble and expense should be incurred in exchange for the cold charity of a South African labour bureau and shelter-shed.

But it is not only the labour-seekers who have found their way to South Africa. The conditions of immigration presuppose the possession of a certain amount of capital, and it is just these small capital holders, whose means are their credentials of thrift and industry and good citizenship, whom these States can least afford to lose. We have need of every citizen who has self-respect enough and the capacity for self-help sufficient to enable him to act well his part within the Commonwealth. It is not desirable that we should part with any of this class of citizen or that South Africa should be enriched by their services at our expense. Good citizens are the chief treasure of a State, and it is good policy to keep them, just as it is bad policy to encourage the formation of such political or social conditions as may make it necessary to part with them. We have to look to it that our politics and administration are not such as to discourage these citizens of the Commonwealth, and so lead them to look to South Africa and elsewhere for opportunities for the better employment of their capital and industry. Between Commonwealth legislation on the one hand and State lawmaking and administration on the other, there is certainly plenty of scope offered for undue interference with the employment of large and small capital and industry. But on the other hand those who think of transferring their capital to South Africa would do well to consider the conditions of its employment there. Early in the present month Major J. D. Ham wrote to the "Argus" an account of the state of things in Johannesburg which does not hold out an alluring invitation. He said that on the Rand and its neighbourhood they were on the borders of a land boom which might end in disaster. He expected a population of half a million within two years, but when he wrote stagnation was the predominant condition. Hundreds were leaving for Australia and other places, and would-be settlers on the land had spent their money and were forced to abandon the idea. The Boer farmer had the first consideration of the Government, and there was no assistance for anyone else, while those who obtained work had to pay 80 per cent. of their earnings for board and lodging. This is the view which Victorians in South Africa offer for the guidance of Victorians at home, and the lesson is one which may be studied with profit by all Australians who may be minded to try their fortunes in that portion of the Empire.

## NEWCASTLE AND DAY LABOUR.

Alderman Barclay, a member of the Newcastle Water and Sewerage Board, speaking at a municipal conference held last week at Wickham, made an announcement which caused Newcastle to protest. He said that the sewerage scheme was to be constructed by day labour. On Monday night the Mayor of Newcastle submitted a minute on the subject to his council. The Mayor says that if the new sewerage scheme is constructed by day labour there is a breach of faith, for the Under-Secretary pledged his word that tenders would be called, in order to guard against any recurrence of what happened in regard to the water supply scheme. The estimated cost of that work was £170,000, but the actual cost exceeded £480,000. An example of that sort would be very apt to make all the contributories look carefully into their liabilities. So a conference of municipalities interested as eventual taxpayers under the Newcastle and district sewerage system has been convened "to urge the necessity of calling for tenders for the work." Now this is one of those practical tests which show really how a system works out. This sewerage scheme, like a water scheme, is a public work which has to be financed by private individuals. The State will construct it, but the citizens of Newcastle and district will have to pay for it. When that hard bit of practical application comes home to the taxpayer he sets about seeing that he gets value for his money, and does not pay twice over. Apply this principle of sharing the liability and every local body is at once interested in getting its work done on sound business lines. Cover up the real liability by making it an item on the Estimates, and it is nobody's business to know how the money goes. Under the contract system the State and its citizens know fairly well from the start what any given undertaking will cost. With reasonable supervision, good material and faithful work can be secured. Political interference is out of the question, and so too is financial extravagance. That is the general argument in favour of the contract system, and whilst it should not be regarded as the only system to be adopted it has important advantages which the community loses when the State becomes its own contractor.

We seem to have embarked upon a period when the larger as well as the smaller public works are marked out for construction by day labour. The central city railway station is to be a monument to this principle. The new pavilions at Prince Alfred Hospital are being built similarly. The great Cataract dam, which is to double the water storage of the County of Cumberland, and the cost of which will be debited to the future consumers of that water, is also to be erected by day labour. Day labour constructs our new railways, bridges, and public buildings. Could we trace the comparative cost of these undertakings by the day-labour system and by contract we should probably find that the community is paying very substantially in hard cash, to speak of no other factors in the case, by adopting the former method. Once set a work going by day labour, and it is difficult to figure out its total or its approximate cost. As in the central railway station business, a Minister can put up the price of such items as cartage, and Government holidays, eight hours, and minimum wages add to the final total, no matter what the supervision may be. And should the supervision become too close and exacting the department might have to protect its officers from political pressure. If members of Parliament should want their friends put on to work, the Minister and his departmental officers must feel that they are not dealing with workmen simply, but with organisation. As long as the State can find money for this system of public works, and as long as Parliament upholds it, the ordinary taxpayer, who is concerned to make the money of the community go as far as it ought to go, is talking to deaf ears. When the work has a municipal incidence the case is different, and in this there is hope that eventually the waste and injury of the present regime in public works will be felt and stopped.

## NEW ZEALAND POLITICS.

Mr. Seddon will return to his colony in time to plunge into a general election, which is fixed for the 25th November. On that day the three-quarters of a million, men as well as women, Maoris and whites, will select their seventy white members and their four Maori representatives. Those who are urging on the matter of reduction in State government here may recall that twelve years ago the House of Representatives in New Zealand consisted of 95 members; now it consists of 74. The coming election already discloses prospects of trouble. That long-lived Ministry to which Mr. Seddon succeeded was supported by such a majority during the past Parliament as to have made the functions of an Opposition almost nominal. Owing in part to this predominance the policy of Ministerialists has been to carry out their labour principles to the bitter end. Hence the Auckland "Herald" says: "The colony was surfeited with legislation. Not an industry, not an interest, not a class, that did not feel nervously and acutely the ever-present danger of being attacked and injured by some totally unforeseen and quite uncalled for piece of legislation." Nevertheless, the most serious symptom, for Ministerialists, is the fact that labour demands to have its separate representation in the new Parliament. Its advent as a distinct entity in the politics of the colony is by way of being a surprise, for arguing from the analogy of Australia our people would say that the abundant crop of experimental measures showed the hand of a solidarity party well applied. However the members of the labour party are now apparently bent on securing their numerical proportion of the seats, and this is not a good indication for Mr. Seddon. They will support him, probably, but they will be allies, not followers. Meantime the Liberals or Ministerialists have outlined their plan and programme. It puts forward such items as further acquisition of estates for closer settlement, vigorous settlement of Crown lands, judicious settlement of native lands, extending workmen's compensation and wages protection, magistrates to deal with cases of breach of arbitration awards, fostering of all local industries, State fire insurance, and legislation against trusts, ending with the following question to candidates:—"Are you a loyal supporter of the present Government, and if elected will you vote with them on all no-confidence motions?" The Opposition pledge themselves to more economical administration, improvement in conducting public works, and fair and open dealing in politics generally. It seems that the financial state of the colony is the chief bone of contention. Notwithstanding the rose-coloured financial statements there would seem to be a prevalent idea that matters at the Treasury are not quite satisfactory. The "Herald" says:—"Extravagance and over-expenditure has been the order of the day. . . . All information has been refused. No member knows how we stand." The increased expenditure for last fiscal year was no less than £416,211, and though as in this State extraordinary calls are responsible for some part of this very large total, that cannot be pleaded for more than about £100,000. And as we saw from our Hobart message yesterday about the arrival of Mr. Seddon, his first duty was to answer a statement that he had failed to get a loan in London. His colleague, the Acting-Premier (Sir Joseph Ward), snaps his fingers at London; he thinks he has tapped a new Pactolus in the Australian States. But we may venture to think that for the ensuing general election in New Zealand the great question will be whether Mr. Seddon is going to stay in New Zealand politics.

## THOSE SHIPPING TELEGRAMS.

Some dissatisfaction has been caused with the Federal Administration by the announcement that from November 1 next the free transmission of weather and shipping telegrams will be abolished. We may take it for granted that the Federal postal authority is acting strictly within its literal rights in taking this action, for it seems difficult to believe that any Government would be so ill-advised as to make an undesirable change of this character without full legal warrant. We have already explained the sufficiently familiar conditions on which this information has hitherto been placed at the service of the public, many of whom will be astonished to learn, among other things, that the Federal Administration will in future decline even to post up the weather and shipping reports at city post-offices for the public information. It would be idle to go into any explanation of the many useful and popular purposes these notices serve. The public is the best judge of the matter, and it is for the individual to say if he is prepared to arrange in each separate case for the supply of the information he has been accustomed to have ready access to as common property. There is the alternative, of course, that the State authority in charge of ports and harbours may defray the expense so far as the shipping is concerned. But the subscribers to the weather reports who hitherto have paid an annual £5 fee for their information will, as we understand, in future have to pay for each telegram as delivered. The Federal Administration has done several vexatious things, but it will be more than usually interesting to discover what possible explanation or justification it can offer for its action in this instance.

The "Sydney Mail."—The "Sydney Mail" published to-day has a great variety of illustrations. There is the second instalment of "Sylvan's" copiously illustrated article showing how much Victoria has done for water conservation and irrigation. There are pictures of the fire in Kent-street on Monday; pictures of Sandow's exhibition at the Victoria Barracks; of the Customs auction sale; the Meldrum garbage destructor installed at Leichhardt; of a day's shooting and boating at Bega; of the arrival of the Federal Premier in Sydney; the opening of the Rifle Association meeting; the amateur boxing at the National Sporting Club; the opening of the Sydney yachting season; deep-lead mining in Corowa; Eight-hour Day in the country and city, &c. Portraits include those of the delegates to the Country Press Association; the late Mr. Lynott; Mrs. Hugh Macneil, lady champion of the Royal Sydney Golf Club; Lieutenant-Colonel Stanley, in command of the New South Wales Artillery forces, &c. Other pictures deal with the historic gathering of the colonial Premiers at Warwick House and her Majesty Queen Alexandra at Bedfordshire House.

Legislative Council.—It is probable that there will be a fairly long sitting of the Legislative Council to-day, and it is likely that the motion for the second reading of the Regulation of Wages in Coal Mines Bill will be taken first in the Government business, in which case Sir Julian Salomons is to be heard at the bar of the House on behalf of certain colliery proprietors in opposition to the measure. The debate is also to be resumed on the State Children's Bill, and the discussion is certain to be somewhat prolonged.

Congratulations to the Railway Commissioners.—The Railway Commissioners were waited upon yesterday by the head officers of the Railway Department, when Messrs. Oliver, Kirkcaldie, and Fehon were assured of the loyalty and support of the staff, and were congratulated upon their re-appointment. The Commissioners acknowledged the compliment and expressed their gratification at the spontaneous action of the chief officers of the department.

Dairy Bill.—Mr. Kidd (Minister for Agriculture) is receiving numerous inquiries regarding the provisions of the Dairy Bill, particulars of which have recently appeared in the press. Mr. Kidd states it is not proposed under the bill to in any way unduly interfere with the existing cold storage arrangements in Sydney. The clause referring to cold storage of butter for export merely provides for a proper inspection of such stores, to see that they are suitable places for the purpose, but there is no intention of having a central Government cold store for this purpose. Mention has been made that Pasteurisation is to be compulsory under the bill, whereas the word "Pasteurise" is not used in any part of the bill, and there is no intention of introducing a compulsory system of Pasteurisation of milk or cream.

Rockdale Railway Requirements.—A deputation was introduced to the Railway Commissioners yesterday afternoon by the Hon. J. H. Carruthers, M.L.A., who was accompanied by Messrs. R. A. Price, W. J. Ferguson, and C. Dight, Ms.L.A., to ask that the Commissioners would erect the proposed platform between Rockdale and Arncliffe at the point on the south side of Spring-street recommended by the Commissioners' officers, and not at Spring-street as represented by another deputation. While expressing this view, however, they desired to say that they were prepared to leave the matter in the hands of the Commissioners. In reply, the Commissioners stated that as the two parties in this matter were unable to come to a unanimous conclusion as to the site, the Commissioners would make a visit to the locality, and in view of all the representations which had been made would make a selection which, in their opinion, would best serve the interests of the district and the railways.

Lilyville Blockholders.—A deputation from the Sydney Labour Council was introduced to Mr. Currie, Under-Secretary for Lands, yesterday by Mr. D. R. Hall, M.L.A., and presented a number of resolutions passed at a meeting of intending blockholders. It was asked that free passes on the trams for two years be granted to a blockholder as soon as he took up his residence, that the application fee be reduced to £1, that an extension of time be allowed for fencing, that consideration be given to the time allowed for building, that the Government run trams to deliver building material on the ground at a nominal fee, that the Government should procure building material for settlers at cost price, that the Water and Sewerage Board be requested to have water laid on within a reasonable time, and that the Government advance a loan of £50 on a deposit of £20 being paid up by the applicant, the loan to be paid back at £10 per year with interest at 5 per cent. It was also suggested that the capital value of the land be reduced, as the rents were too high. Mr. Currie promised to bring the matter before the Minister for his consideration.

Appreciation of the Public Instruction Act.—Speaking last night at the Diocesan Festival, the Bishop of Goulburn referred among other things to the Public Instruction Act of New South Wales. He said he desired to record his supreme gratitude for the benefits enjoyed under it. Coming as he did from a part of the Commonwealth where the system of education was purely secular, they could understand how he rejoiced at the power given to the clergy and teachers to go into the schools in the State and teach the children the truths of Christ. Whatever the distinguished dignitary of another Church might choose to say, he desired as a bishop of the English Church to say that although the present system meant more work to do their duty, still it was an honest and sincere effort to meet a very complicated and difficult problem. Therefore they were all thankful for it, and should show their thankfulness by helping the society in this branch of its work—going into the schools and leading the young Christwards.

The Telegraphic Services.—The Postmaster-General has received the following information:—"Rangoon advises that the Moulmein route to Siam is interrupted. Berne advises that all the Siberian lines near Blagowestschensk are interrupted."

The Municipal Rolls.—The ratepayers' rolls for the approaching municipal election in Sydney have been printed, and will be available for inspection at the Town Hall, and also at the various police stations within the city boundary. Only a few applications have been received so far for inclusion in the supplementary rolls.

Carriage of Starving Stock.—The following railway bylaw appears in the "Government Gazette," to come into operation on and from October 25, 1902:—"Where the grass or water in any stock district has failed through the drought, and it is necessary for the preservation of the stock that they should be removed for the purpose of feed, they will be carried by rail at half rates, conditionally upon the production of a statutory declaration from the owner and a certificate from the stock inspector of the district that they are being removed under the conditions described."

Public Works Expenditure.—Mr. O'Sullivan laid on the table of the Legislative Assembly last night a return showing the amounts granted by the Government for public works (the roads, bridges, and public watering places) in each electoral district of New South Wales since the opening of the present Parliament on July 23, 1901. The largest expenditure was in Macquarie electorate, £23,029. Other electorates were favoured as follows:—Raleigh, £20,079; Gloucester, £19,026; Grafton, £18,174; Richmond, £18,201; Northumberland, £16,266; Sherbrooke, £14,246; Coonamble, £14,963; Tweed, £14,302; Hawkesbury, £13,974; Durham, £13,818; Moree, £12,787; Manning, £12,765; Grenfell, £12,445; Hastings and Macleay, £12,235; Camden, £11,686; Bega, £11,428; Hume, £11,154, Narrabri, £10,911; Lismore, £10,515; Gunnedah, £10,217; Tumut, £10,171; Murray, £10,072; Singleton, £10,060. Other electorates got smaller amounts, among them being Queanbeyan with £8356. No money was spent in the following electorates:—Balmain North, Newtown-Erskine, Redfern, Sydney-Belmore, Bligh, Cook, Denison, Fitzroy, Flinders, Gipps, and Phillip.

Visit to the Refuse Destructor.—Yesterday afternoon Mr. Mansfield, president of the Institute of Architects, and several members, besides other gentlemen, paid a visit of inspection to the Goddard, Massey, and Warner refuse destructor, which has been erected on Moore Park for the Municipal Council of Sydney at a cost of £10,000. Mr. Kenway, the engineer representing the contractors, received the visitors, and showed them over the works. First of all the destructor itself was visited, and its operation fully explained by Mr. Kenway. Then the Washington-Lyons steam chamber for disinfecting purposes, also the lethal chamber for the destruction of dogs were examined, the visitors taking great interest in all that they saw. The utilisation of sinter by manufacturing it into concrete attracted a considerable amount of attention, the product evidently being regarded as of a good commercial character. Before leaving Mr. Mansfield expressed the thanks of the visitors to Mr. Kenway for his courtesy.

Volcano in the New Hebrides.—News was received in Sydney yesterday from the New Hebrides via Noumea to the effect that the volcano at Ambrym, in the New Hebrides group, has again developed activity. Loud rumbling noises and explosions are frequently heard, and both the white settlers and the natives are in a constant state of fear. H.M.S. Sparrow arrived at Ambrym on the 12th instant.

The English Mails.—The new R.M.S. Victoria, of the Orient-Pacific line, now on her maiden voyage to Australia, reached Adelaide at a late hour last night. Her mails dated London, September 19, will not be delivered in Sydney until Friday. The mails which left Sydney by the R.M.S. Oruba on September 16 arrived in London on Monday, one day in advance of contract time.

Boating Fatality in the Islands.—Advices received by yesterday's mail by the F.M.S. Australien from New Caledonia contained accounts of a boating fatality in the New Hebrides, news of which was brought to Noumea recently by the steamer La Perouse. It appears that the Rev. Father Tayllade, a French missionary stationed in the New Hebrides, together with seven native converts, left the Island of Pentecost in a large boat for one of the islands in the vicinity. They had not proceeded far when they were overtaken by a terrific gale, which capsized the boat, throwing the whole of the occupants into the water. Two of the natives, who were exceptionally strong swimmers, succeeded with difficulty in reaching the shore in a thoroughly exhausted condition. The Rev. Father Tayllade and five of the natives were drowned.

Fire in the City.—Shortly after 8 o'clock last night the fire brigades received a call to No. 19a Hunter-street. Detachments of men, with appliances, were quickly on the scene from headquarters, under Superintendent Webb and Deputy-Superintendent Sparks, Circular Quay and Darlinghurst. It was found that the fire had broken out in a room occupied by Alfred W. Hare, a jeweller, on the first floor. A hydrant was taken up the stairs, and the outbreak was extinguished before much damage had been done. A quantity of water found its way into the shop beneath, occupied by Gates and Co., tailors, causing some little damage.

The Minister for Works will be waited upon at noon to-day by a deputation from the Narrabeen Progress Association with reference to the Narrabeen and Curl Curl Lagoons.

Fraser, Uther, and Co. will offer for sale by auction at 11 a.m. to-day a quantity of household furniture and effects, including some very fine oak book cases and cabinets, and a good assortment of works of art in china, &c.

To-morrow the Minister for Works will be interviewed at noon by members of the Tipperary Union with regard to the question of payment.

The Cyclorama has been well patronised. At 3 and 8 p.m. an explanatory lecture is given dealing with the picture of the battle of Gettysburg in detail. This is followed by an excellent entertainment in the Hall of Illusions.

The hon. treasurer of the Women's Hospital elsewhere acknowledges the receipt of £50 from Mme. Melba, as a donation towards the funds of the institution.

The newly elected president of the Chamber of Manufactures (Mr. O. C. Beale), accompanied by the secretary (Mr. G. T. Clarke), paid friendly calls yesterday on the Mayor of Sydney (Alderman T. H. Hughes), and the president of the Chamber of Commerce (Mr. J. Barre Johnston). Matters of commercial interest were discussed. The visits are to be returned on the 27th instant.

Alderman Latimer has received a communication from the Minister for Works stating that the Rose Bay jetty will be reconstructed.

Messrs. Tillock and Co.'s seventh annual picnic was held at Correy's Gardens on Saturday last, when a very enjoyable day was spent in the usual round of amusements and sports, including a cricket match, in which the married men proved victors over their single opponents. Lunch and dinner, followed by outdoor games, music and dancing, and tea, wound up a pleasant outing.

A round trip will be made between Sydney, the Hawkesbury River, and Windsor to-day, passengers leaving Sydney by the 9.5 a.m. train and Milson's Point by the 8.50 a.m. train for Hawkesbury station.

The Timaru Harbour Board, by advertisement elsewhere, invite applications for the purchase of a "Samson" travelling crane.

Mr. E. B. Harkness, formerly secretary to the Treasurer, has been appointed to the position in the Colonial Secretary's Office recently vacated by Mr. Berckelman, who has been appointed to the Public Service Tender Board.

Through the kindness of Mr. James Stedman, of Clarence-street, all the children and officials of the Randwick Asylum will be taken this afternoon for a trip to La Perouse.

At the meeting of the Paddington Municipal Council on Monday evening it was decided to strictly enforce the 57th clause of the Public Health Act relative to insanitary premises within the borough.

Mr. Edward Ridge was present at the funeral of Captain Heselton.

The Rev. I. M'Inerney, S.J., late chaplain with the Commonwealth Brigade, will lecture on the Boer war at the school-hall, Lavender Bay, to-night.

A correspondent writing with reference to the accidental ignition of coal tar urges that with a view to enable people to cope with fire which may arise in that way a rule should be observed of having, wherever quantities of tar are being dealt with, a mass of sand, so that such material may be used to smother the flames. Water, he says, only increases the trouble.

Shortly before 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon a collision occurred between a sulky and a tram in George-street West. The vehicle was driven by a man named James Lovett, aged 76 years, who resides in Shepherd-street, city. He was thrown heavily to the ground and sustained a severe scalp wound. Constable M'Bride conveyed the sufferer to Prince Alfred Hospital, where the injuries were dressed. The sulky was badly damaged.

A notification appears in the "Government Gazette" to the effect that his Excellency the Governor is in receipt of a communication from the Consul-General for Belgium intimating that Mr. Rene Vos, Vice-Consul for that country at Sydney, has proceeded to Belgium on business, and that, during his absence, Mr. J. Currie-Elles will, until further notice, take charge of the Vice-Consulate.

The band of the R.A.A. will perform in the Outer Domain this afternoon, commencing at 3 p.m., under the direction of Bandmaster M'Carthy.

The City Coroner (Mr. J. C. Woore) held an inquiry yesterday respecting the death of a man named John Thomas Breen, who died at Sydney Hospital from injuries received through being run over by a lorry. A finding of accidental death was recorded.

## TO-DAY.

National Rifle Association: Meeting, Rifle Range.
Kensington Races: First Event, 2.15 p.m.
Congregational Union of N.S.W.: Annual Session, 9 a.m.
Horticultural Society: Rose Show, Queen Victoria Markets, 3 p.m.
School Hall, Lavender Bay: Lecture, 8 p.m.
Health Lecture: Equitable-building, 3 p.m.
Australian Natives' Association: Meeting, Town Hall, Leichhardt, 8 p.m.
Gas Cooking Demonstration: Raleigh's New Rooms, School of Arts, 2.30 p.m.
Centenary Hall: Popular Entertainment, 8 p.m.
Organ Recital: Town Hall, 3.15 p.m.
Bazaar: Federation Hall, 3 p.m.
Address by Mr. George R. Edwards: Balfour Hall, 8 p.m.
Cyclorama: "Battle of Gettysburg." Illusions, and Cinematograph, 10 a.m. to 10 p.m.
Tivoli Theatre: New Vaudeville Company, 8.15 and 8 p.m.
Palace Theatre: "The Messenger Boy," 2 and 8 p.m.
Lyceum Theatre: "A Million of Money," 8 p.m.
Criterion Theatre: "Mrs. Goldstein," 2.15 and 8 p.m.
Theatre Royal: "Sherlock Holmes," 8 p.m.

# COMMONWEALTH NOTES.

MOVEMENTS OF FEDERAL MINISTERS.

Yesterday Sir John Forrest made an inspection of the defences of Sydney. The inspection was as much of a private as of an official character, and partook somewhat of the nature of an outing on the harbour. The Minister for Defence was accompanied by Brigadier-General Finn (State Commandant), Captain Collins (Secretary for Defence), Lady Forrest, and other ladies and officers. The trip was a very enjoyable and interesting one.

The Prime Minister will probably leave for Melbourne by this evening's express. Sir William Lyne, who intended to leave last evening, deferred his departure until this evening.

FEDERAL ELECTORAL LAWS.

Sir William Lyne is pushing along as rapidly as possible the preliminary work necessary to bringing the Electoral Act into complete operation. Mr. G. Lewis, who is in charge of the Electoral Department, left for Queensland last night to supervise the work in that State. The work of subdividing South Australia into electorates for elections to the House of Representatives will be commenced immediately, Mr. W. R. Boothby having been appointed a commissioner for that purpose. Sir William Lyne has not yet decided upon the gentleman who is to act in a similar capacity in Tasmania, but will do so, he hopes, before the end of the week.

SIR EDMUND BARTON AND PREFERENTIAL TRADE.

Sir Edmund Barton stated last evening that the report that he would put the preferential trade proposals in the forefront of the business of next session was calculated to produce a false impression. He said that such a statement would be discourteous to his colleagues, although he had no fear that he would be misunderstood by them. The order of business for next session, he added, would be decided by the Cabinet in consultation, as stated in this column yesterday.

THE BONUS BILL.

A promise was made in the House of Representatives just before the prorogation that the select committee on the Bonus Bill would be constituted a Royal Commission, so that it might continue its labours during the recess. Sir Edmund Barton, when reminded of this promise yesterday, said the matter would be dealt with by the Cabinet at an early date.

ADDRESSES BY FEDERAL MINISTERS.

Sir Edmund Barton hopes to be able to address his constituents before Christmas. The date to some extent will depend upon the course of business that has to be dealt with during the next few weeks. Sir William Lyne had hoped to address a meeting in Sydney on Tuesday evening next, but found a difficulty in getting a suitable hall. He will endeavour to fix a date for an address to be delivered next week. It is his intention to deal with the work of the Federal Government and the Parliament during the past 18 months, and he will reply to what critics have said. "It will be a plain unvarnished statement," said the Minister for Home Affairs last evening, "and I think it will remove a good many false impressions."

CONVENIENCES FOR FEDERAL MEMBERS.

Sir William Lyne complains that a great many misrepresentations have been published regarding the accommodation he proposes to provide for federal members in each of the State capitals. In some quarters it was stated that luxurious clubrooms were to be fitted up at considerable expense. The Minister stated yesterday that it was only intended to provide a room in each capital where members could write and receive their letters. Very little, if any, expense would be incurred. One room of the Commonwealth offices in Sydney had been set apart for the purpose. It was very plainly furnished, and beyond writing facilities there would only be files of official papers and "Hansard." In Queensland a room had been obtained in the Customs Department, in Western Australia a suitable room had been found in the Perth Post Office, and in South Australia the necessary accommodation had been rented. The expense, Sir William Lyne added, was very small indeed, and the facilities afforded had proved a very great convenience to federal members.

THE FEDERAL PUBLIC SERVICE.

The Minister for Home Affairs hopes to be able to have the Federal Public Service Act brought into operation by proclamation very shortly. The delay has been due to the necessity for dealing with temporary employees, of whom there are a great many in the federal service, more especially in South Australia. Under the Act these employees would be shut out of the service. The delay has been of advantage in giving time for putting temporary employees on the permanent staffs in cases where there was room for them, and where they were suitable. Another cause of delay was the difficulty in framing regulations to meet the conditions of the federal service. This difficulty has been surmounted, and the way should soon be clear for bringing the Act into operation. It has been brought under Sir William Lyne's notice that preparations are going on in some of the States for the holding of examinations under local enactments. Alluding to the matter yesterday, he said that the State laws would be nullified immediately the federal law came into force, so that preparations for examinations under the laws which will shortly be abrogated were of doubtful utility.

TRUNK LINE TELEPHONE CHARGES.

Our Coraki correspondent wired as follows on Monday:—"Reports are in circulation that according to changes in the Post and Telegraph Department charges are to be levied on telephone messages over trunk lines in this district independent of exchange rates. If this proves correct the telephone system in the district will suffer severely, as it is likely that 80 per cent. of the subscribers will give up their instruments at once."

Inquiries at the General Post Office yesterday elicited the fact that the telephone charges in the Coraki as well as in other districts were being altered in accordance with new regulations regarding the fees chargeable on trunk lines. A uniform system has been adopted throughout the Commonwealth, under which any subscriber who wishes to connect with an exchange more than 10 miles distant from his own exchange must pay an extra "trunk line" fee. The fees are on a graduated scale, according to the length of the trunk line. Four exchanges have hitherto enjoyed free intercommunication in our correspondent's district, viz., Coraki, Ballina, Casino, and Lismore. As there must be uniform regulations throughout the Commonwealth, their claim to a free use of the trunk line connecting those exchanges could not be conceded without extending the privilege to Bendigo, Ballarat, Newcastle, Geelong, and other places.

FEDERAL CAPITAL SITES.

Sir William Lyne stated yesterday that he would deal with the appointment of the Commission to report upon the proposed federal capital sites immediately upon his return to Melbourne.

THE HIGH COMMISSIONER FOR THE COMMONWEALTH.

The Prime Minister said last night that no steps would be taken towards the appointment of a high commissioner for Australia until the office had been duly constituted by federal legislation. He did not think that the passage of the necessary measure through the Legislature would be protracted. Like some other matters of federal concern, the delay in dealing with it had tended to make clear the necessity for taking action.

MR. DEAKIN.

MELBOURNE, Tuesday.

Mr. Deakin is still in poor health. He paid a visit to the city to-day, and having transacted pressing business returned to Healesville.

ABOLITION OF FREE TELEGRAPHIC SERVICES.

ADELAIDE, Tuesday.

Mr. Jacobs, President of the Adelaide Chamber of Commerce, and the secretary waited on the Treasurer in reference to the abolition of the free transmission of shipping telegrams. They pointed out that carrying the proposal into effect would cause great inconvenience to the commercial community and greatly hamper commerce. Mr. Butler promised to place the matter before the Cabinet to-day.

# QUEENSLAND.

BRISBANE, Tuesday.

Durundur repurchased estate was opened to selection to-day. One hundred and seventeen applications were lodged for 41 lots, and £6005 was lodged in deposits.

Mr. Richard Edwards, M.P., received a warm welcome to-night on arrival from Sydney.

The Cabinet to-day considered measures proposed for the encouragement of pastoral tenants. There will be two bills—one dealing with pastoral leases, another with grazing farms.

# NOTES IN THE STATE PARLIAMENT.

When the Legislative Assembly met yesterday afternoon Ministers were not very much troubled with questions. Those that were on the notice paper were unimportant in character, whilst members were unusually modest in putting questions without notice. The preliminary business having been disposed of in a few minutes, members were congratulating themselves upon getting to work upon "private business" without delay. Their hopes were shattered, however, by Mr. Meagher moving the adjournment of the House in order to discuss the "vexatious and harassing administration" of the federal laws within the State of New South Wales. The member for the Tweed had not gone far in speaking to his motion when Mr. Affleck took the point that the motion was out of order, inasmuch as it was identical with one discussed during the previous week at the instance of Mr. Eden George. Mr. Meagher contended that his motion was far different from Mr. Eden George's. The Premier, on the other hand, held that the motions were synonymous, and that consequently Mr. Meagher was out of order. The Speaker said that the debate on Mr. Meagher's motion would be practically the same as that which took place on the one moved by Mr. Eden George last week, hence he ruled Mr. Meagher's motion out of order.

Mr. Fegan then moved the second reading of the Methodist Union Bill. He did so in a brief speech, in which he stated that the object of the measure was to clothe with legal authority the union of the Primitive Methodist Church, the United Methodist Church, and the Wesleyan Church in New South Wales, and to provide power for church government, especially in the direction of vesting the burial grounds of the combined churches in one body of trustees.

Mr. Meagher spoke at length on the measure, dealing with certain legal aspects, and after Mr. D. O'Connor had spoken the second reading was agreed to on the voices, and the bill was taken through committee without amendment.

Mr. Affleck's motion for leave to introduce a bill to provide for the better observance of the Sabbath having been agreed to, the member for Yass, in submitting the bill to its first reading, explained that whilst he considered the existing laws sufficiently stringent if they were properly administered, the fact that such proper administration did not exist compelled him to bring forward a bill which it was hoped would put an end to Sunday trading. The measure provided that all places of business where articles of food or drink were sold must close at 12 o'clock on Saturday night, and not open until the following Monday morning. There were two exceptions, however, viz., chemists' shops and restaurants, and it was proposed to allow them to keep open on Sundays from 8 a.m. to 10 a.m., from midday to 2 p.m., and from 5.30 p.m. till 7 p.m. There was also a provision that no publican should be allowed to sell liquor to any lodger for any person outside the hotel. The measure met with strong opposition from various parts of the House, but there was an inclination on the part of the majority to allow the bill at all events to be read the first time, the division being 29 to 17. The second reading was made an order of the day for November 4.

Debate was resumed on a motion by Mr. A. Griffith for the appointment of a select committee to inquire into and report upon all the circumstances connected with the inquiry by the Public Service Board, which resulted in the removal from the public service of James Stephen Inch. A long discussion took place. The House was counted out at 12.15 a.m.

# SYDNEY MORNING HERALD FUND.

MOUNT KEMBLA DISASTER.

We shall be pleased to receive and acknowledge contributions to the "Sydney Morning Herald" Fund for the relief of the sufferers by the Mount Kembla disaster. All moneys received by us will be forwarded to the treasurers of the fund inaugurated at the meeting at the Town Hall—the Mayor of Sydney (Alderman Thomas Hughes), Mr. J. Russell French (general manager of the Bank of New South Wales), and Mr. T. A. Dibbs (general manager of the Commercial Banking Company of Sydney).

Amount previously received .. .. £1697 1 0½

# COMMONWEALTH LABOUR PARTY.

ITS POSITION AND POLICY.

SPEECH BY MR. WATSON.

WORK OF THE SESSION.

WAGGA, Tuesday.

Mr. J. C. Watson, M.P., leader of the labour party in the House of Representatives, addressed the electors in the Oddfellows' Hall to-night. There was a large attendance. The Mayor presided, and Mr. Watson was well received. In a speech extending over two hours he reviewed the work of the session of the Federal Parliament, and the part therein taken by the labour party. The session, he said, had been a long one, but that was due to the fact that Parliament had assembled under novel conditions. Members were strangers to each other, from different parts of Australia, and had come prepared to fight for what they considered the interests of their own particular States. Taking all things into account he considered they had done their work in a highly creditable manner, and in a way that would conduce to the benefit of Australia as a whole. The principle involved in the Immigration Restriction Act had, he believed, the sympathy of all classes in the States. The labour party would have preferred a system of straight-out prohibition of coloured races as more honest, but the present Act could be made to serve the object in view if carefully administered. The kanaka aspect of the question had evoked some sympathy on behalf of the Queensland sugar planters, but he thought they had been very fairly dealt with. They had been allowed time to adapt themselves to the new conditions, and had also been given as compensation for the sacrifice they were called on to make full control of the sugar market of Australia. It was only that view which had induced him to vote for the large duty on sugar imposed by the tariff. They now, moreover, found that planters could obtain a sufficient supply of white labour to carry on operations. They had, therefore, little cause for complaint. In dealing with the tariff the labour party, although untrammelled individually, had nevertheless, by an understanding among themselves, been able to reduce the amount proposed to be exacted from the people by fully one million sterling. As first introduced the tariff was undoubtedly too high, it being framed on lines that would enable the smaller States to be recouped, as nearly as possible, the amount formerly raised by them through Customs and excise duties; also with a view to maintaining in existence industries which had been established in some of the States under a high protective system. He was a moderate protectionist, but did not believe in the imposition of duties that might lead to the creation of monopolies in the hands of individuals, or that would prove unduly oppressive to the bulk of the people. Reviewing other work done by the Legislature, Mr. Watson defended at length the action taken by the labour party with respect to the Bonus Bill. If the present committee of inquiry showed that an industry could be established on terms that would be fair to the public he would then be prepared to give further consideration to the matter. He considered, however, that any monopoly of the kind should be in the hands of the State solely. The labour party had shown itself to be the most advanced, most progressive, and most necessary party in Parliament. It was only justice to admit, at the same time, that there was great breadth of democratic sentiment on both sides of the House. He was glad to be able to say that not only had the labour party been assisted by other members but it had also been able to assist by giving thorough accord to measures introduced from other quarters. He considered they had faithfully maintained the principles of their platform, and had done their duty to the best of their ability.

Mr. Watson was listened to with attention, and was frequently applauded. On the motion of Alderman Heydon a vote of thanks was carried unanimously.

# MINING DIFFICULTY AT LUCKNOW.

ORANGE, Tuesday.

Last night at Lucknow a meeting was held of miners employed at the Darcy Wentworth Mine to consider a letter from the sub-manager, on behalf of Mr. Newman, superintendent, to the effect that Mr. Newman had cabled home for funds to pay the August and September pay sheets, and was daily expecting a remittance. In the meantime, in view of the company being in liquidation and the expressed dissatisfaction of the men, he had decided temporarily to reduce the number of hands employed, and would prefer that those who were afraid of not getting paid for their services should make application at once. At a previous meeting of miners it was resolved that a deputation should wait on the superintendent and request payment of the amount then due—10 weeks—and for a regularly monthly pay in future, but Mr. Newman was absent in Sydney. After discussion a motion was moved,—"That all hands make application for their money to-morrow." This was carried unanimously. This not being forthcoming to-day, it is understood the men waited on the sub-manager and said they would decline to go to work until the arrears of wages were paid. Only engineers, batterymen, and firemen went to work, but they intended to cease work when the boilers were cooled down.

# SPECIAL CABLES.

FROM THE "HERALD'S" LONDON CORRESPONDENTS.

## THE UNITED STATES.

THE MINERS' CONVENTION.

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT'S COMMISSION.

MR. MITCHELL WARMLY RECEIVED.

ADVOCATES ACCEPTANCE.

LONDON, Oct. 21.

The Convention of the Miners' Unions of Pennsylvania met at Wilkesbarre yesterday for the purpose of considering the proposal of President Roosevelt to refer the questions in dispute with the coalowners to a commission already nominated.

Mr. Mitchell, the President of the Miners' Unions, was warmly cheered by the convention. He advised the miners to extend the hand of friendship to their opponents and co-operate in establishing permanent peace on the coalfields.

Mr. Mitchell added that President Roosevelt's proposals were likely to secure juster terms than could be attained by a continuance of the conflict.

The formal decision of the convention has been postponed till to-day.

THE ARMY.

LONDON, Oct. 20.

The United States army has reverted to the legal limit of 53,000 men.

GRAVES ROBBED.

LONDON, Oct. 20.

It is alleged that grave robbers have stolen 1200 bodies from cemeteries in Indiana in five years.

[A professor of anatomy at the Medical School at Indianapolis, and two of his assistants were arrested a fortnight ago on charges of robberies from graves. Thirty bodies were found in a cold-storage house at Louisville.]

## CHINA.

PRINCE CHING AND THE BRITISH MINISTER.

A CONFERENCE TO BE HELD.

LONDON, Oct. 21.

Prince Ching, the President of the Chinese Foreign Office, is alarmed at Sir E. Satow, the British Minister, declining all social intercourse with the Chinese Court because the officials responsible for the murder of the missionaries, Mr. Bruce and Mr. Lewis, have been freed from blame. Prince Ching has invited Sir E. Satow to confer on the matter of the murder of the missionaries.

Sir E. Satow will take the opportunity to protest against Germany's stipulations for the evacuation of Shanghai, stipulations which Prince Ching had accepted without consulting the other Powers.

BRITISH GUNBOATS FOR HANKAU.

LONDON, Oct. 21.

The Shanghai correspondent of the "Standard" reports that owing to the failure of the Chinese authorities to come to a complete settlement regarding the murder of Mr. Lewis and Mr. Bruce, four British gunboats have been ordered to Hankau, the principal port of the Yangtsze River.

## TURKEY.

THE REBELLION IN MACEDONIA.

LONDON, Oct. 20.

An open-air meeting, convened by the Macedonian Revolutionary Committee, was held at Sofia, Bulgaria, on Sunday and was attended by 10,000 persons. It approved of the Macedonian insurrection. A similar meeting was held at Philippopolis.

CAPTURE OF A REBEL LEADER.

LONDON, Oct. 21.

Bulgarian peasants in Turkey, opponents of the insurrection, have captured Colonel Jackoff, one of the leaders of the rebellion, and hold him prisoner at Monastir.

A SHOCKING DISASTER.

SEVENTY-FIVE PERSONS DROWNED.

LONDON, Oct. 20.

A crowd of persons was on a bridge at Stamboul watching the rescue of a drowning boy, when the parapet of the structure collapsed. 300 persons were precipitated into the water and 75 were drowned.

THE CUSTOMS LOAN.

LONDON, Oct. 20.

The Porte has arranged for the conversion of the Customs loan, realising a profit of £2,000,000. Many creditors are clamorous for payment.

## PERIM ISLAND.

LONDON, Oct. 20.

Turkey has constructed a fort on Cape Bab-el-Mandeb, commanding Perim Island, a British possession in the Red Sea.

The Strait of Bab-el-Mandeb (Arabic for "the Gate of Tears"), which unites the Red Sea and the Indian Ocean, is divided by Perim Island into two channels. Cape Bab-el-Mandeb is on the Arabian shore. Perim Island was permanently taken possession of by the British in 1857.

## GENERAL CABLE NEWS.

LONDON, Oct. 21.

The Cape to Cairo telegraph line has now reached Ujiji, on Lake Tanganyika, and has been transferred to the Tanganyika concession.

October 25 (Saturday), the date of the Royal procession, has been proclaimed a bank holiday in London.

Queen Alexandra is returning homewards from Copenhagen.

Mr. Spencer, the aeronaut, has made a successful voyage from Blackpool to Preston in his airship. A high wind prevailed.

F. C. V. Lane, of Sydney, swam 120 yards at Salford yesterday in 1 minute 14 4-5 seconds.

Last year a length of 325 miles of the Trans-African telegraph line was erected, and during the year it reached the southern shore of Lake Tanganyika. Ujiji, which is in German territory, is near the northern extremity of the lake. By an agreement entered into in 1899 between the late Mr. Rhodes and the German Emperor the right was given to the British South Africa Company to carry the Trans-African telegraph line through German East Africa, on the company conceding to the German Government the right to make use of the line, and for the right to make certain charges.

IF YOU WANT TO BORROW MONEY, go to N.S.W. Mont de Piete Co., Ltd., 74 Castlereagh-street, 74. Eustace Bennett, general manager.—Advt.

# THE FIGHTING IN SOMALILAND.

FOREIGN OFFICE CRITICISED.

INADEQUATE SUPPORT FOR COLONEL SWAYNE.

FEARS OF THE RISING SPREADING.

LONDON, Oct. 21.

The Mullah who is opposing Colonel Swayne in Somaliland is not the Mad Mullah (Haji Mohamed Bin Abdullah), but is another fanatical leader.

The Haji Mohamed is elsewhere in Somaliland.

The newspapers criticise the Foreign Office for inadequately supporting Colonel Swayne as it failed up to the last encounter to send a sufficient number of troops to stiffen the raw Somali levies, and as it declined to establish a permanent military post at Burao.

Fears are expressed that the tribes who have hitherto remained passive will now join the Mullah and attempt to block the ultimate line of Colonel Swayne's retreat to Berbera.

STATEMENT IN THE HOUSE OF COMMONS.

DESPATCH OF REINFORCEMENTS.

LONDON, Oct. 21.

In the House of Commons last night Viscount Cranborne (the Parliamentary Under-Secretary for Foreign Affairs) made a statement with regard to the fighting in Somaliland. He said that Brigadier-General W. H. Manning (the principal officer of the territory) had arrived at Aden on his way to Berbera after the expiry of his leave. An Indian battalion had been placed at his disposal to aid Colonel Swayne's force, and the remainder of the reserve battalion of the protectorate had been ordered forward.

The Government, Viscount Cranborne added, would send any further reinforcements which might be needed.

A force of Bombay Grenadiers is quitting Aden for Somaliland to-day.

THE MULLAH'S FORCE.

LONDON, Oct. 21.

According to Mr. Alfred Edward Pease, M.P. (Liberal) for Cleveland Division of the North Riding of Yorkshire, who is familiar with Somaliland, the force of the Mullah amounts to between 30,000, and 40,000 men.

[Mr. Pease travelled in Somaliland in 1895, 1896, and 1897, and in Abyssinia in 1900-1].

THE MULLAH'S ADVISER.

LONDON, Oct. 20.

Karringer, an Austrian officer, is advising the Mullah.

## RUSSIA AND AFGHANISTAN.

CLOSER RELATIONS PROPOSED.

BRITAIN WANTS MORE PRECISE INFORMATION.

LONDON, Oct. 21.

Viscount Cranborne (the Parliamentary Under-Secretary for Foreign Affairs) stated in the House of Commons last night that Russia had proposed to Great Britain the establishment of direct relations between Russia and Afghanistan regarding frontier matters. Russia promised that the direct relations would not be of a political character.

Russia would continue, the proposal stated, to consider Afghanistan as outside the sphere of Russian influence.

Great Britain replied that considering the understanding that Afghanistan was outside the sphere of Russian influence it was impossible to entertain or submit Russia's proposals to the Ameer without a more precise explanation of the method suggested for the exchange of communications between the frontier officials, the limitations to be placed on those communications, and the means of enforcing those limitations.

Lord Cranborne concluded by saying that there had been no reply yet from Russia to the objections raised by Great Britain.

Regarding direct relations between Russia and Afghanistan the St. Petersburg journal "Novoe Vremya" on August 25 said:—"During the last 20 years, in fact since Russia has asserted her dominion over the Transcaspian, the necessity for closer relations between the inhabitants of that region and neighbouring countries has, by degrees, so greatly increased that it has been impossible to carry into effect many of the conditions of the Anglo-Russian Agreement of 1873, and our relations with Afghanistan have of themselves assumed a new shape. It is, therefore, quite natural that the question should have arisen as to the necessity of modifying that agreement, and our Government two years ago made a formal declaration to that effect to Great Britain. We, therefore, cannot consider ourselves bound by any obligations whatsoever on the question of having direct relations with Afghanistan on any subject which might interest us by virtue of the proximity of the two countries. The development of intercourse between the local populations which goes on every year will undoubtedly call for the adoption of measures for the establishment of normal relations with Afghanistan as being the only ones possible with a neighbouring State. On the progress of events generally, and on the civilising effects of Russian influence on local populations, will depend the time when such measures will be adopted."

## IMPERIAL PARLIAMENT.

THE EDUCATION BILL.

LONDON, Oct. 21.

In the House of Commons last night the Education Bill was further discussed in committee. The amendment which Mr. Balfour had accepted on Friday, securing to the local education authorities complete control of secular education, was agreed to.

## THE NAVY.

TENDERS CALLED FOR CRUISERS.

LONDON, Oct. 21.

The Admiralty has invited from Clyde ship-building firms tenders for the construction of a first-class cruiser of the new Duke of Edinburgh class. The vessels of this class will have more powerful guns and stronger armour than the vessels of the County class. A duplicate of the cruiser to be built by contract will shortly be commenced in a Government dockyard.

The Admiralty has also invited tenders for two second-class cruisers each of 3000 tons with an indicated horse-power of 10,000.

The two first-class cruisers are evidently two new armoured cruisers of the 1902-3 programme with a reported displacement of 10,800 tons. The Government dockyard will probably be Pembroke.

## TINPLATE WORKERS' STRIKE ENDED.

LONDON, Oct. 21.

The employers have come to an arrangement with the tinplate workers of Llanelly, South Wales, now on strike. The arrangement is to last till midsummer.

At the end of September 4000 tinplate workers struck work at Llanelly in favour of an eight-hour shift.

This week's "Sydney Mail" contains many excellent illustrations of the opening of the Royal Sydney Yacht Squadron Season.—Advt.

# SOUTH AFRICA.

LORD MILNER'S TOUR.

LONDON, Oct. 20.

The sympathetic interest shown by Lord Milner during his tour of inquiry into grievances has aroused the enthusiasm of the burghers of the Western Transvaal, who condemn the Boer Generals for coquetting on the Continent, declaring they will make it difficult for Great Britain to treat the Boers generously. General Ben Viljoen's friendly attitude is approved.

Most of the Boers express contempt for the Africander Bond, and they are opposed to the attempts to establish branches of the Bond in the Transvaal.

The Cape Colony Dutch are regarded as cowards and deserters.

THE NAVY CONTRIBUTION BILL.

THIRD READING IN THE CAPE ASSEMBLY.

LONDON, Oct. 21.

In the Cape House of Assembly yesterday the bill fixing the contribution to the Imperial Navy at £50,000 a year was read the third time.

NATAL DEFENCE COMMISSION.

LONDON, Oct. 20.

The Natal Defence Commission favours a modified system of compulsory military service.

GENERAL NEWS.

LONDON, Oct. 20.

The Dutch Reformed Church advocates separate Dutch schools with a view to perpetuating the language and hostile traditions.

The burghers complain of the military selling thousands of horses to syndicates, who resell them to farmers at an advance of from 50 to 100 per cent.

ABOLITION OF PERMITS.

MELBOURNE, Tuesday.

Messrs. Dalgety and Co., Limited, have received cable advices stating that permits are no longer necessary for passengers for South Africa.

## THE BOER GENERALS.

LONDON, Oct. 21.

Generals Botha, de Wet, and Delarey have arrived at the Hague from Berlin.

## THE UNITED IRISH LEAGUE.

GREAT CONVENTION IN BOSTON.

A RESORT TO ARMS JUSTIFIED.

INDEPENDENCE WANTED.

LONDON, Oct. 21.

The United Irish League opened a convention at Boston, U.S.A., yesterday. Mr. John Finnerty, who presided, made an inflammatory speech. He said that Ireland would be justified in resorting to arms. The opportunity alone was wanting.

Without a powerful ally furnishing the nucleus of an army and munitions of war only a miracle would enable Ireland to win independence.

Commenting upon proposals for the settlement of the land question, Mr. Finnerty said that when half a million heads of tenant families became proprietors of their land and the young remained in Ireland then the soil would blossom like the rose. Prosperity would bring liberty to Ireland.

## SILVER.

LONDON, Oct. 21.

Bar silver is quoted to-day at 23 5-16d per ounce standard.

## THE USE OF THE MURRAY WATERS.

MR. IRVINE CONCILIATORY.

MELBOURNE, Tuesday.

The Premier, Mr. Irvine, has addressed a letter to the Premier of New South Wales, Sir John See, defending the attitude of the Victorian Government in reference to the use for the purposes of irrigation of the water supply of any tributary river running through Victorian territory. He admits, however, that the wider question of the utilisation of the available waters of the whole of the great inland watersheds of Australia is one which will present very great difficulties in the future—difficulties commensurate with the ever-growing importance of the proper conservation and distribution of those waters—and that a strict insistence upon legal rights in all cases will inevitably tend to aggravate those difficulties. He hopes it may be found possible for the various States to approach questions as they arise in a spirit of reasonable concession. With that object in view he states that the proposed scheme of the Victorian Government does not involve the drawing off of any water from the Murray itself, but only drawing away from the Goulburn River a comparatively small portion of the surplus flood waters of that river.

## STATE PARLIAMENTS.

VICTORIA.

MELBOURNE, Tuesday.

In the Assembly the Minister for Railways, replying to a question, submitted a departmental minute from the Acting Commissioner admitting the substantial accuracy of the statements as to the extremely long hours worked by some engine-drivers. He attributed this to the rush caused by the removal of starving stock. The Minister, after reading the minute, said he thought such a condition of things should never have happened in any well-regulated business. The Premier, in answer to a question, said it was unlikely a bill would be introduced to reduce the salary and pension of any future appointee to the Supreme Court Bench. A question put to the Chief Secretary elicited the statement that for any hardship in regard to the want of fever hospital accommodation the City Council was responsible, and that the Board of Health only took action when the local bodies failed in their duty. Mr. W. D. Beazley was unanimously reappointed Chairman of Committees, after an unsuccessful endeavour by Mr. Wilkins to tack to the motion a provision that the position should be an honorary one. The Chief Secretary moved the second reading of the bill to continue the existing Factories Act up to the end of next year. He intimated that the general merits of factories legislation might be dealt with after the reform and retrenchment bills had been disposed of. He commended the employers generally for not having taken advantage of the lapsing of the Act. Sir A. Peacock spoke at length by way of defence of factories legislation and administration.

Mr. Swinburne, one of the new members, made a speech antagonistic to the Wages Board provisions of the Act. The speech attracted a good deal of attention owing to the serious view taken by the speaker of the shrinkage of trade and the departure of men and capital. Some members objected to the measure being continued until the end of next year. After a debate characterised by brief speeches the second reading was agreed to.

A bill disentitling future members of the police force to pensions and gratuities, and providing for life assurance, was passed.

A small measure to continue the system of payment by results under the Education Act until August passed. The House at 10.20 p.m. adjourned to next day.

QUEENSLAND.

BRISBANE, Tuesday.

In the Legislative Council to-day the representative of the Government maintained that the Council had no right or privilege to amend the Income Tax Bill, but several members, including Sir Hugh Nelson (President of the Council) maintained that the House had power to amend bills of that nature. Eventually Mr. A. H. Barlow proposed a new clause regarding the Commissioners' tenure of office, and it was carried by 16 votes to 11. Progress was reported on clause 7.

In the Legislative Assembly the Workmen's Compensation Bill and the Trustees and Executors Act Amendment Bill were both read the first time.

The Friendly Societies Bill passed through committee. A long discussion took place on the motion to go into committee on the Local Government Bill, members of the Opposition contending that the House should either adjourn or else another Minister take charge of the bill pending the result of the notified motion of censure by the Opposition leader in connection with the Home Secretary's action in recently refusing to hear one of the labour members at a deputation owing to a scene which had taken place in the House. The motion to go into committee was carried.

# VICTORIA.

ADMINISTRATION OF LUNATIC ASYLUMS.

CHARGES AGAINST DR. MACBIRNIE.

MELBOURNE, Tuesday.

The Chief Secretary has received from the Public Service Commissioner a communication enclosing a report of the board appointed under the Public Service Act to inquire into the charges against Dr. Stuart MacBirnie, a medical officer of the metropolitan lunatic asylums. The charges were framed by Dr. O'Brien, Government Medical Officer, when acting as Inspector of Asylums. The board, which consisted of Messrs. J. A. Panton, P.M., J. M. Reed (Surveyor-General), and A. M'Farland (Sheriff), found the charges not proven by the evidence brought forward. It had not been shown to the board as set forth that Dr. MacBirnie had been rendered unfit for duty by indulgence in alcohol or drugs, or that his illness was due to those causes. Mr. Murray (Chief Secretary), when asked if he had any comments to make on the finding, said that it was to the effect he had anticipated. It was the only finding honest men could arrive at. Dr. MacBirnie, the board said, had simply broken down in health and had been temporarily incapacitated from duty on that account. Dr. MacBirnie would return to duty at the Yarra Bend Asylum, where he was stationed.

A MINER'S CLAIM FOR INJURIES.

The case in which Charles James Elliott, of Gaffney's Creek, miner, sued the Victorian A1 Gold Mines Company, Limited, for £1000 damages in respect of injuries received in defendant company's mine on March 23 was concluded to-day before Judge Hamilton and a jury of four. The jury found in favour of the plaintiff, and awarded £170 damages. Judgment was given accordingly, with costs.

ACTION FOR ALLEGED LIBEL.

After hearing the opening statement of an action for alleged libel to-day the Chief Justice said he would prefer not to hear the case, as several gentlemen whose names were mentioned were personal friends of his. The case was accordingly adjourned and will be heard by Mr. Justice A'Beckett. The plaintiff is Andrew M'Leod, of Port Melbourne, and the defendant Ernest L. M'Caughan, of St. Kilda-road. Plaintiff was engaged as captain of defendant's pleasure yacht Minota, and alleges that defendant published a libel of him in a telegram discharging him for misconduct and neglect of duty while cruising off the Queensland coast.

The will of Mrs. Mary Ellen Hobbs, late of Stawell, widow, has been lodged for probate. Her estate consists of £2898 realty and £154,550 personalty.

The State Government has appointed Mr. J. Hamilton Reid, Chief Accountant of the Railway Department, to be Auditor-General of Victoria in succession to Mr. J. Bagge, deceased. The salary attached to the position is £1000 a year.

The first distribution of strike pay to the Outtrim-Howitt strikers was made on Monday. Each man who had been out since the beginning was paid 12s, and those called out later received 6s. This allowance embraces the whole five weeks during which the strike continued.

At the Supreme Court criminal sittings to-day the trial of Rachael Samuel, charged with the murder of her illegitimate child, was concluded. The jury returned a verdict of not guilty, and the accused was discharged.

The gold shipments from Melbourne by the R.M.S. Arcadia to-day amount to £70,000 in specie.

# SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

RAILWAY RETRENCHMENT POLICY.

ADELAIDE, Tuesday.

In pursuance of the policy of retrenchment the Railway Commissioner has decided to abolish the office of traffic superintendent of the southern division, which has been held by Mr. E. C. Clucas for some years. Mr. Clucas has been requested to take eight months' leave of absence.

# NEW ZEALAND.

FINANCIAL POSITION OF THE COLONY.

STATEMENT BY THE PREMIER.

WELLINGTON, Tuesday.

Speaking at Auckland Sir J. Ward emphatically denied the assertion that the country was going on the wrong financial road. There would be no need to increase taxation. Regarding the statement that Mr. Seddon had tried to float a loan in England he had wired to Mr. Seddon, who had arrived at Hobart, and had received the following telegram:—"The statement credited to Mr. M'Culloch, Victoria, and Mr. Taylor, of New Zealand, that I endeavoured unsuccessfully to float small loans in London is a fabrication, and untrue. The rumour that I attempted to float the New Zealand loan is also incorrect. I never attempted or even suggested the same, and the merest tyro in finance would see the absurdity of such a proceeding at such a time. I decided before leaving London that the date of placing a New Zealand loan on the London market would be settled on my return to the colony. Financially New Zealand stands high in the money market."

The Christchurch City Council has decided to engage Colonel Turretini, the European expert, to report on an electrical power scheme for Christchurch.

# TASMANIA.

HOBART, Monday.

A travelling magnetic healer named Bernard Tarasco, alias Paul Barron, who recently opened business in Hobart, was sentenced to three months' imprisonment to-day for passing valueless cheques.

LAUNCESTON, Tuesday.

On the arrival of the Flinders at West Devonport from Melbourne this morning the captain reported that a passenger named Ernest Longmore had disappeared during the voyage. The missing man is about 20 years of age, and took a single ticket for Devonport.

## THE MELBOURNE TRAGEDY.

STATEMENT BY VICTORIAN POLICE.

MELBOURNE, Tuesday.

The attention of several members of the Melbourne Police Department has been drawn to comments of Sydney newspapers in reference to the presence of the convict Shaw in Melbourne and the failure to identify his body. They point out, in reply, that the Sydney police are entitled to their share of blame, if blame is to be apportioned, in allowing Shaw and Skulmore to pass unnoticed from Sydney and travel through New South Wales to Victoria without a hand being laid upon them.

GUNDAGAI, Tuesday.

There is little doubt that George Shaw, who is believed to have shot Constable Guilfoyle, was in the district of Wee Jasper a few weeks ago. He was accompanied by another man.

## PERSONAL ITEMS.

PRESENTATION TO MR. QUONG TART.

A pleasant function took place on Sunday afternoon at the residence of Mr. Quong Tart at Ashfield, when a number of the officers of the Masonic Lodge Tranquility paid him a visit to congratulate him upon his recovery from the effects of the recent assault upon him. The Master of the lodge (Mr. Moss Costa), in a sympathetic speech, pointed out that at the meeting of the lodge in September reference had been made to his unfortunate experience, and a special prayer was offered for his restoration. A minute of the proceedings, together with the special prayer, had been engrossed, at the wish of the brethren, and he desired to present it to Mr. Tart. The address, which was beautifully illuminated and bound in blue morocco, was read by the secretary, Mr. F. R. Bretnall.

Mr. Quong Tart responded, and expressed his deep sense of obligation to his many friends who had shown sympathy with him, and particularly the members of the Masonic craft. He was specially impressed with the prayer, which showed the charity of Masonry.

Several other speeches were delivered, and afternoon tea was served.

ADELAIDE, Tuesday.

Mr. Tom Mann, the English labour advocate, arrived in Adelaide to-day by the express from Melbourne, and was cordially welcomed at the Trades Hall.

COOMA, Tuesday.

Mr. George Goodwin, aged 70, a highly respected resident of Monaro, died on Saturday at his residence, Middle Flat, after a lengthy illness. He was a resident of Cooma for 58 years.

Mr. Glanville, sen., who died at Berridale last week, was a resident of the State for 70 years, and was one of the earliest wheatgrowers of the district.

COBAR, Tuesday.

Mr. F. G. Gibney, surface superintendent at Mount Boppy Gold Mines, was presented at a send-off with an illuminated address and a case of silver-mounted pipes. Mrs. Gibney received a gold muff chain.

DELEGATE, Tuesday.

Mr. G. Dale on his departure was presented with a purse of sovereigns and an address as a mark of appreciation of his services for the district. A send-off was subsequently held.

HOBART, Tuesday.

Mr. Seddon, in the course of an interview aboard the Tongariro, said positively that there is no truth in the report that he intends resigning his position in New Zealand and going to South Africa. His future, he says, lies in the hands of the New Zealand people.

NARRABRI, Tuesday.

Mr. G. H. Reid leaves here for Sydney this evening.

QUEANBEYAN, Tuesday.

Staff Colour-sergeant Kirkwood was the recipient of two silver-mounted pipes and a silver matchbox from the members of the Civilian Rifle Club, of which he has acted as drill instructor since its formation. The presentation was made by Mr. T. J. F. Cadden at the railway station last night. Sergeant Kirkwood has been transferred to Goulburn.

# TELEGRAPHIC SHIPPING INFORMATION.

ABOLITION OF THE PRESENT SYSTEM.

INDIGNATION EXPRESSED.

Great indignation was expressed in commercial and shipping circles and also among the waterside workers yesterday when it became known through the columns of the "Herald" that the Federal Postmaster-General has determined to abolish the system of providing free telegraphic information respecting the movements of vessels from the 1st proximo. The inconvenience which will be suffered by all interested in the shipping industry as well as by the travelling public cannot be over-estimated. From time immemorial the fullest information, not only from the other States but also from the numerous coastal stations, has been posted at the various post-offices, and the privilege has been very largely availed of by all classes of the community. To say that some thousands of persons daily visit the post-offices at Sydney for the purpose of learning the whereabouts of vessels is not an exaggeration, and the proposed change will be very far-reaching in its effect. Not only is information daily sought by the shipping and commercial community but also by many hundreds of coal-lumpers, wharf labourers, and other waterside workers; by the relatives of the large army of sailors engaged in the interstate and coastal trade, and by the friends of passengers by the different vessels bound to Sydney.

To suddenly abolish the shipping notice boards at the post-office will, it is felt, create untold inconvenience and loss. Perhaps the greatest sufferers will be the maritime workers who daily congregate in hundreds at the different post-offices to ascertain the whereabouts of the passenger and cargo vessels. Under the present conditions they are able to calculate to a nicety the hour at which a steamer upon which they will probably find work will arrive at this port. If the shipping board, however, is to be abolished the thousands of men who earn their livelihood on the wharfs will be compelled to idle many hours away by the waterside in the hope that a vessel will put in an appearance.

The question formed almost the sole topic of conversation on the Exchange and in business circles throughout yesterday, and the general query was "How is the information to be obtained?" It was recognised that news of the movements of vessels on our coast must be secured from some source or other; otherwise a return would be made to the conditions existing in the early history of the State, when the arrival of a ship came as a general surprise to the community. It is generally admitted that something must be done, but the way out of the difficulty does not appear to be at all clear. Of course telegrams may be despatched from ports, but how, it is asked, can information be obtained as to the whereabouts of vessels between ports. It is from the passings of vessels at given points that the public is enabled to estimate the hour of arrival.

The opinion is very generally expressed that a united protest, not only from the business people, but also from the waterside workers, should be made, but so far no definite proposals have been put forward. The time for action is very short. In 10 days' time the movements of vessels will not be supplied to the public. Groups of commercial men discussed the situation on the Exchange yesterday, and many suggestions were made. All seemed to be awaiting a move to be made by some responsible body, and general support would be given. A meeting of the committee of the Sydney Chamber of Commerce is to be held on Monday afternoon next, and it is understood that the question of the abolition of telegraphic shipping information will be one of the principal matters to receive attention. It is considered more than probable that in view of the urgency of the case some definite course of action will be decided upon. It is also thought that the matter will at once receive the consideration of the various maritime labour unions, whose members will be very seriously affected by the proposed new order of things.

Some business men are not disposed to take the decision of the Federal Postmaster-General seriously. "It is a try-on to attempt to force the State Government to pay for these telegrams in future," said one prominent business man to a "Herald" reporter. "They are feeling the pulse of the people," he continued, "and personally I do not think that such a retrograde step will be taken. Possibly the question will eventually resolve itself into one of bookkeeping between the Federal and State Governments." Other commercial men thought it improbable that the Federal Government would invite condemnation from all classes of the community in all the States, and that at the last moment some satisfactory arrangement would be made in the public interest.

"We cannot understand what is to be gained," said a well-known member of the Merchants' Exchange yesterday. "The necessity for strict economy is admitted by all business men, but what economy is to be effected in this instance? The lighthouse-keepers on the coast, whose time hangs heavily on their hands, despatch the names of vessels as they pass the stations. The revenue cannot possibly be affected by this system, because there is no one else to send such messages. It would be extremely interesting to know how many operators the department will be able to dispense with owing to the introduction of this new system. I venture to assert that not a single hand will be dismissed, and nothing will be saved."

The policy of the Government is regarded in all directions as a short-sighted one. It is pointed out that the commercial community contributes a very large percentage of the revenue of the Government, and that those engaged in the great industries of the Commonwealth are entitled to some amount of consideration. The proposed change is very bitterly resented by the business men of the city, and not a single individual could be found who regarded the new system with favour. "The policy of the existing Federal Government," remarked a member of the Exchange to a "Herald" representative yesterday, "appears to be to harass commerce in every way possible, and to unnecessarily inflict hardships and inconvenience without apparently any well-defined object in view."

# STOCK MOVEMENTS.

GUNDAGAI, Tuesday.

Stock movements:—4000 sheep, from Nap Nap to Yellowin, R. B. Ronald and Son owners; 3600 sheep, Narandera to Gingindie, W. P. Smith; 5000, trucked from Hay for Pigeon-square, Steward and Macky.

HAY, Tuesday.

The stock inspector reports the following stock movements:—5200 ewes, from Oxley, A. M. L. and F. company owners, to Bunnayharsenyah; 7500 ewes and wethers, Groongal to Wodonga by rail, S. Learmonth; 8000 ewes and wethers, Wargam to Victoria by rail, from Deniliquin; 3250 ewes, Wooloondool to Gundagai by rail, from Hay; 800 rams, Mungadal to Gundagai by rail, from Hay; 2700 ewes, Corrong to Gundagai, A. and A. Tyson, to truck at Hay; 4000 ewes, Illillawa to Albury by rail, Illillawa Company; 4500 ewes and wethers, Alonga to Cooma, T. F. Patterson, to truck on the 23rd instant; 330 horses, Ulonga to Cooma, T. F. Patterson, to truck on the 23rd instant; 21 horses, from Nine-mile Box to Cooma, J. E. Donohoe, to truck on the 23rd instant; 1000 ewes and lambs, from Cedar Grove, by rail from Hay to Old Junee; 2500 ewes, Uardry to Wodonga, by rail, Chas. Mills and Co.

NARRANDERA, Tuesday.

Truckings: 150 cattle, Agency Land Company, Grong Grong to Gundagai; 84 cattle, W. J. Weir, Grong Grong to Homebush; 12 cows and heifers, J. J. Baylis, Goonahra to Moss Vale; 86 bullocks, J. J. Baylis, Goonahra to Wodonga; 120 heifers, Tubbo estate, Gundagai; 87 cattle, C. Peeck, Lake View to Coolamon and Cooma; 291 cattle, V. J. Saddler, Brewarrana to Gippsland. Sheep: 880, D. M'Bean, Fairlie Grange to Flemington; 4200, Agency Land Company, Grong Grong to Blowering; 5800, Agency Land Company, Grong Grong to Victoria; 8177, Horsfall and Co., Kerarbury to Cooma; 3386 and 1878, various owners, to Homebush; 14,112 Tubbo Estate, to Adelong; 6000, M'Gaw Estate, Kooba, Sydney Meat Preserving Company; 400, J. Lander, Darlington to Narrandera; 2800, Baillie Estate, Benerembah to Uralla; 440, H. W. Staughton, Dellapool to Victoria. By road—sheep: 2500, Boabula station, to Cooma; 217, T. Whelan, Mumbledool to Narrandera; 3550, W. C. Dicker, Ruby Park to Mount Victoria; 1800, H. J. Schroeder, Browley to Junee; 1700, Mumbledool station to Junee; 800, R. E. M'Grath, Killarney to Gunnain; 7786, S. M'Caughey, North Yanco to Kiandra; 6723, Horsfall and Co., Kerarbury to Kiandra; 5402, Horsfall and Co., Kerarbury to Cootamundra; 450, E. A. Brett, Werford to Urana; 3700, H. Kook, Darlington to Tumut; 8000, F. Jenkins' estate, Buckingbong to Narrandera; 4000, Wyvern and Bringagee, to Narrandera; 900, S. M'Caughey, North Yanco to Narrandera; 5500, J. Sanderson and Co., Murriel to Tumut; 5500, Australian New Zealand Mortgage Company, Mumbledool to Adelong; 1600, Mrs. Cummings, Darlington to Victoria; 1500, A. E. Austin, Midgeon to Long Plain; 5000, F. R. Clayton, Barellan to Couradigbie; 3448, Newton and Co., Whitton to Long Plain; 1500, J. Pannowitz, Witton to Long Plain.

The report of the Prince Alfred Hospital for the week ending October 18 is as follows:—Number of beds, 236; number of in-patients at last report, 215; since admitted, 59; discharged, 58; died, 10; remaining in hospital on October 19, 226; number of out-patients treated during the week, 570; number of casualty cases treated but not admitted, 324. There are two cases of typhoid in the wards.

The "Sydney Mail's" Mining Reporter contributes to this week's issue an illustrated article on Deep Lead Mining in the Corowa District.—Advt.

# MR. CARRUTHERS AT BURWOOD.

LARGE GATHERING OF ELECTORS.

A GOOD RECEPTION.

THE GOVERNMENT CRITICISED.

THE OPPOSITION PLATFORM.

Last evening Mr. J. H. Carruthers, the leader of the Opposition in the Legislative Assembly, addressed a largely attended public meeting at the School of Arts, Burwood. The chair was occupied by Alderman Sheppard (Mayor of Burwood), and with him on the platform were Messrs. Mahony, Mackenzie, J. C. L. Fitzpatrick, and J. J. Cohen, Ms.L.A., Mr. Scholes, Mr. Cardew, and others.

The chairman briefly opened the meeting, and expressed his satisfaction that Mr. Carruthers had seen his way to accept the responsible position of leader of the Opposition at a time when the policy of the Government and their supporters needed close scrutiny and criticism.

Mr. Carruthers, who was cordially received, said that when a number of the electors of Burwood presented him with a requisition to address a public meeting there, he hesitated in his acceptance, first, because of the arduous work which so fully occupied his time, and, secondly, from a feeling that whilst Parliament was sitting a criticism of the Government was more fitted for that place than elsewhere, but he had accepted the invitation because of his old association with the electorate, when for eight years he was one of its representatives, and for the further good reason that it was always staunch and loyal to principles that appeared to be well nigh forgotten and despised in public life to-day. (Hear, hear).

THE FRIEDMAN CASE.

The electors had specially asked him to say a few words on the recent vote of censure on the Friedman case. He feared that he could add but little to what they already knew. When in time to come men looked back upon this episode in our public life, there would be but one feeling, viz., that of surprise that at any time in our history a majority of Parliament could be found to condone one of the most wanton and defiant breaches of the fundamental principles of our system of justice. (Hear, hear.) From the days of hoary antiquity right down through all ages of our history, if there was one thing above all others which our race had contended for without abatement, it was the right of juries to be the judges of matters of fact in criminal charges. Not only did the liberty of the subject depend upon this, the people's right, but the security of society likewise. The prerogative of mercy was vested in the Crown, it was true; but it had never been exercised as a means of flouting the jury or of impugning its honesty and capacity. It was useless to contend that in this case the prerogative of mercy was exercised, inasmuch as the prisoner was released a day before the King's Representative authorised the release, and the Governor was treated as a mere puppet in the hands of the Ministers. ("Shame.") The action of the Ministry was a usurpation of authority never sanctioned either by the people or by Parliament, and the condonation of the offence was a betrayal of the trust which was in the keeping of the people's representatives: a trust to see that the laws were obeyed by Ministers, and were administered according to the Constitution. And he told them that every man who voted against him on that question would at the next general election have to stand with his back to the wall to defend himself. (Applause.)

THE GOVERNMENT AND FINANCE.

Now he wished to say something on the finances, and more especially on two points which he thought the public ought to understand. He did not intend to recapitulate the criticism which he had already directed in his place in Parliament. Sufficient to say that the Government last year spent altogether £17,000,000 of money and finished up with an acknowledged deficit of £230,000. This year they would spend another £17,000,000, and would finish up with a deficit of half a million. Two years' interest on the Darling Harbour resumptions was still unpaid and unprovided for; the contingent money was also unprovided for, and the revenue was inflated in many directions. Already our railway revenue was rapidly declining and the expenditure increasing, so that they might expect this year to be an exceptionally bad one for our greatest asset—the railways. Our land revenue must suffer a decline, and as the effects of the terrible drought were felt more and more so would our sources of State income suffer. The outlook was a serious one, and required caution, firmness, and foresight to prevent serious disaster. But there were two matters of finance which required some special comment. First of all, the Government had taken £775,000 of the savings of the people (deposited in the Government Savings Bank) upon the express terms of an Act of Parliament introduced by this very Government, which provided that the money so taken should be repaid in eight years by annual instalments of £100,000, payable on December 1 in each year. The Treasurer having taken the £775,000 in February last and used it, now coolly said that he did not intend to pay the instalment of £100,000 due in December. Thus it would be seen that the industrial classes (whose earnings and savings composed the moneys so taken by the Treasurer) found that the Government and labour party combined to hush up one of the most scandalous acts of repudiation, involving the rights of those who had only their Parliament to look to to protect them. The Government dared not have acted thus to any influential money-lender dealing in their loans here or in England. And why could they do this with impunity to the poorer body of their own people? Only because an era of indifference and contempt for the honoured ways of former days has come upon our public life. (Hear, hear.)

REVENUE FROM LOANS.

The next point that he wished to emphasise was with regard to the action of the Treasurer in treating as revenue moneys which were paid by this State as Customs duties on railway and other material imported by the State. These importations were paid for out of loan, and paid by the Government; the duties went to the Federal Treasurer, who in due course paid them back again to the State Treasurer as revenue returned, and the State Treasurer spent that money as if it were proper revenue. He would give an instance of how this worked out. Supposing a railway was being constructed from Cobar to Broken Hill, and that £500,000 worth of rails and rolling stock had to be imported for that work. The £500,000 would be raised by loan, and would become an interest-bearing charge upon the State. The material when imported would have to bear a duty of from £50,000 to £100,000, which would be collected by the Federal Government, who would afterwards return probably nearly the whole amount to the State. Surely no sane man would treat this money as revenue to be expended. Yet the State Treasurer anticipated receiving £80,000 next year in this way, and coolly proposed to spend it as revenue. What an inducement was thus offered to a needy Treasurer to encourage the purchase of railway and other material outside Australia to ease his finances. And this showed the splendid financing of this Government. Further comment was needless when they saw how on one hand obligations were repudiated, and on the other a fictitious revenue was absorbed and spent under the sway of their Ministers.

THE WORKS POLICY.

Mr. O'Sullivan was the soul and inspiring influence of this Government. There was no doubt he was a "live" Minister—very much alive. It was amusing to notice the pet phrases of some of the Ministers. Sir John See has managed to pilot some 20 or 30 clauses of the Municipal Bill through by neat and amiable speeches on "safety in numbers," or "trust in the people." The House took these in good humour, and so the work of legislation went on. Mr. O'Sullivan, however, adopted another strain, and flattens his opponent out by shrieking "seven bob a day," "day labour," "bullock-dray party," &c. (Laughter.) Probably it will require a few bullock-dray parties to pull the State out of the mire when Mr. O'Sullivan has finished up his job. (Hear, hear.) Mr. O'Sullivan was a political limpet on the day-labour system and of the "seven-bob-a-day" racket with all its political patronage and present-day surroundings. Day labour was all right, and good wages, too, were all right, and none but a fool wished the labour of the country not to have plenty of work and good wages. But the trouble was that the State, under the molly-coddling system of to-day, was fast stifling private enterprise, and making all classes and all ages discontented with private employment. (Hear, hear.) It would be a sorry day indeed for Australia if men could only get work and wages in the future "by the grace of a Minister of Works." Mr. O'Sullivan was riding his hobby horse to death, and the worst enemy of any system was the man who strained it and asked it to do too much. (Applause.) Recently Sir Frederick Darley travelled through Canada, and in a letter published from him he said it was a pity our legislators could not go and see what was being done in that country, where 20,000 men had to be brought over from England to supply the labour required to harvest the crops. Probably if they did go they would find that private enterprise was not being destroyed by the Government nor capital being frightened out of the State, as in this country, through the rabid politics and administration so rife to-day. (Hear, hear.)

THE PLATFORM OF THE OPPOSITION.

Passing away from the Ministerial aspect of the matter, and looking at the position of the Opposition, he wished to say a little on the party, its platform and organisation. The Liberal party, or as it should be called the Liberal and Reform party, was not to-day circumscribed as in times gone past, when fiscalism was the cleavage principle between State parties. The fiscal question was relegated now to the Federal arena, and there was no necessity to drag it into State politics to the detriment of State legislation and administration. Let it, therefore, be understood that the party had its doors wide open to men of any fiscal faith, who were at perfect liberty in Federal politics to take their sides without let or hindrance. The Opposition platform was a broad one, and yet well defined. Its aim was to serve all the people all the time, and not to serve any one class or section of the community to the neglect of the broader interests of the whole State. (Applause.) In legislation and in administration this was the guiding principle of Liberalism, and the members of the Opposition pledged themselves to adopt it, not faltering from fear of defeat nor pandering to secure victory. They were in favour of reform, economy and a return to sound constitutional and responsible government. (Cheers.) If he could not win his political battles before the electors on these clear principles he did not wish to win at all. The party was in favour of humanitarian legislation well devised and soundly administered, because it believed that the peace and prosperity of the whole community was secured more permanently by them. Humanity would not break down, and faith founded on it was founded on a rock. He declined to truckle for the vote of any man or of any party in or out of Parliament, and his remarks were made in that spirit, but as broadly affirming the claim of the party to the traditionary principles of Liberalism. He thought that if ever there was a time when an extremist in politics was to be avoided it was now. The outlook was altogether too serious for rash experimentalism or for rabid reaction.

They had been long under a Ministry which had given them legislation and administration full of experiment and saturated with class favour. (Hear, hear.) The country was tired of it. There were some men who clamoured for the other extreme, and who under the cry of reform would sweep away land tax, income tax, sell our railways, and inaugurate a new era of Tory politics. He said to them to beware of these extremists who wished the political pendulum to swing towards the class who had vested interests, just as violently as it has recently swung to the Socialistic element in the country. What the country required was a policy of reasonableness, which would be prudent and moderate even in change. It required a return to the safe and beaten tracks of constitutional government and to business methods of conducting our affairs. Now some of his critics had said that he had done wrong in not promising to retrench the Civil Service, in not vowing to dissolve Parliament, and in not going bald-headed for the labour party; and because he had not done these things they impugned his earnestness in the promise of reform and retrenchment. Well, he saw no reason whatever to threaten wholesale dismissals or cutting down of salaries in the Public Service. The growth of expenditure, of which this country had a right to complain, had not taken place to any large extent in the Civil Service, but in works of an unproductive and extravagant character, and in over-expenditure on even productive and necessary works. What must be done in the service was to stop all fresh appointments for a period of years, and to let the process of retirement by death or otherwise readjust the strength of the service. His experience had been that when one government reduced the Civil Service another Government comes in and complained that it was undermanned, and at once exercised its patronage to put in its friends in all directions. Next, as to dissolving Parliament. It was mere idle vapouring for men to threaten this contingency to the Assembly, especially when the power rested entirely with the Governor, and would only be exercised by him at the request of his constitutional advisers. The House had 20 months of its time still to run, and the surest way to keep the Government in power was for himself or any other leader to brag and boast of dissolving Parliament.

REFORM AND ORGANISATION.

"Reform" was in the air, and of course when any political question became a burning question they would of necessity almost see bodies formed to advocate one or the other side of the subject. He had no word to say in condemnation of such bodies, provided they have a defined purpose and acted prudently within the limits of useful actions. Several associations had come into existence recently to advocate various phases of reform. Whatever might be the mission of these bodies, the field was open to them, and there need be no quarrel between them and his party. But he recognised that the responsibility cast upon him at this juncture of affairs, in a most critical period of our history, was too serious for him to complacently contemplate the frittering away of energy and the breaking down of strength if an electoral campaign was in the future to be carried on by half a dozen bodies ostensibly favourable to reform, but each desiring to lead the way. (Hear, hear.) He would not take the responsibility of leadership without its power and authority, and he wished all true friends of reform to understand that he was prepared to lead in no uncertain way upon this question; and he asked all who were prepared to follow him to enrol under the standard of the Liberal and Reform party. If, however, they preferred to join any of the existing bodies that course was still open to them; but in doing so it be understood that in electoral work his hands must not be fettered by a splitting up of votes through the various organisations interfering in electoral work. (Hear hear.) Let all the associations do their work in propaganda for their own cause, but when the decks were cleared for action let there be but one captain to the ship, and let the crew work under that captain heartily and loyally, and not take each into his own head to work as he liked, when he liked, and for whom he liked. Look at Parliament itself as a shocking example of a body split up into fragmentary parties. Were the electors going to model their work of reform upon the worst features of Parliamentary existence? They had now a Ministerial party, a labour party, an unattached labour party, a country party, the independents, and the Liberal Opposition. The last was the strongest of all, but it had hitherto tasted nothing but defeat because of the actual weakness of each and every other party. And the country is being governed by a minority. So it will be repeated with the electors if they allowed themselves to be broken up and divided into fragments. After all, what was wanted in this country was sound party life amongst the electors and in the Parliament on well-defined principles. They must give and take in order to adopt a common ground. (Hear, hear.) The conscience of Parliament might be elastic, but there was a limit to its straining power, and it was nearly reached now; and when it was reached he thought that it was safe to say that with a change of Government there would be nearly, if not quite, the whole of the 95 members who were pledged to a reform of our Constitution who will pass the necessary legislation to give effect to that reform without having to face the electors to answer for a breach of faith with them. (Applause.) In conclusion, he said that as the darkest hour was that preceding the dawn, so in our political history they were passing through its darkest hour. The brightness of the ray of hope would go on increasing, and they would be able to follow once more those paths of prosperity which they had trodden in so many years past, and which they yearned to see again. (Loud and continued applause.)

Mr. Mahony and other gentlemen also addressed the meeting, and the proceedings closed with a cordial vote of thanks to Mr. Carruthers.

## TRAMWAY EMPLOYEES' PICNIC.

LARGE GATHERING AT CLONTARF.

The morning shift of the running staff of tramway employees held their annual picnic yesterday at Clontarf. The event proved in every way a success. Three large steamers made continuous trips throughout the day, and by dinner time there were several thousand people on the grounds. The weather conditions were most favourable for outdoor amusement, and a lengthy and attractive programme of sports was carried out under the direction of the following committee:—President, Mr. A. G. Paul; vice-presidents, Messrs. J. M'Carthy and T. Burke; treasurer, Mr. H. Lawton; joint hon. secretaries, Messrs. A. C. Warton and A. J. Henry; committee, Messrs. J. Aikman, M. E. Foz, R. D. Mackie, J. Croker, M. Slattery, G. Smith, D. Williams, W. Wallace, S. Asher, C. Frappell, T. Meaney, J. C. Dudley, P. M'Gann, G. Gesse, J. Wilson, J. Nolan, L. Porter, T. M'Masters, J. Pollock, J. Packham, G. Greenwell, J. M'Grath, J. Hook, A. Keen, E. Stanley, J. Doyle, L. Griffin, M. Harrold, J. Pepper, M. Kelly, J. Strachan, F. E. Brown, S. Carter, W. Bland, R. Campbell, G. Ready, J. Douglas, A. Andrews, and S. Smith.

Dancing in the spacious pavilion to music supplied by a string band was fully appreciated by the young people. Amusement of all kinds, including races for toys, was provided for the children. The little ones were also regaled with fruit, lollies, etc.

At 1 o'clock the committee and visitors sat down to an excellent repast, laid in the pavilion by Mr. Lane, proprietor of the grounds. The chair was occupied by Mr. A. G. Paul, and among those seated at the main table were Mr. Kneeshaw, Mr. Cowdery, and Mr. Chamberlain, officers of the tramway department; also Messrs. R. Hollis and Neilsen, Ms.L.A.

The toast of "The King" having been honoured, the chairman proposed "The Ministry." He said tramway employees would remember this Ministry with pleasure and pride. Now that the old steam service had practically died away, Sydney had one of the most up-to-date tramway services in their midst, for the tram transportation for the public was without doubt the finest in all Australia. (Cheers.) They could look back and thank the Ministry for many of these blessings, which also included the introduction of the penny fares. But the most popular benefit of all was the granting of the eight-hours' system to the employees. (Cheers.) There was not the slightest doubt that if the Ministry had not been backed up as it had been the tram employees would not have had the eight-hours' system granted them. However, the men had got the concession, and instead of being slaves, as of old, they were on a level with the employees of all other trades and callings. (Cheers.) When he referred to this fact he might put it in this way, that the benefit was now enjoyed by something like 3000 men in the tramway service alone. For he thought he was correct in saying that the department had in its advance found of late employment for nearly 2000 more men than was so employed a year or two ago. (Cheers.) So that, no matter how the Ministry might be treated by historians and the general public, he believed that the tramway employees would endorse his remarks when he said the See Government would long be remembered with pride and pleasure by the Tramway Department. (Cheers.)

Mr. Lawton proposed "The Parliament."

Mr. Neilsen, M.L.A., responded He condemned any policy for retrenchment being made on such lines as to affect Government employees only. He said when retrenchment was necessary it was usual to hear an outcry for a reduction of Civil servants and other Government employees' wages, especially the lowest-paid classes. Such a state of things had no right to exist. If money was required the Government had a right to make all classes alike suffer by the introduction of an income tax. No person was then made to feel the pinch more than another. (Cheers.) They all knew that he was in favour of one Commissioner. However, they had got three Commissioners. but, after all, the railways and tramways would go ahead whether they had one or three men at the head of affairs. (Cheers.)

Mr. Hollis also responded, and referred to the necessity for a Workmen's Compensation Act, also an alteration in the constitution of the Railway and Tramway Appeal Board. He thought the chairmen should be an independent person.

Mr. Bourke submitted the toast of the Railway Commissioners and officers of the Tramway Department. He said on all occasions the Commissioners had given the men a fair hearing, and listened in a proper spirit to their demands. They certainly had given their decisions often from the standpoint of the financial position of the tramways. However, from a humanitarian standpoint it was for the public to say whether the tramways were to be made a paying concern at the expense of the employees. (Cheers.) But, on the whole, the Commissioners had been very fair and just in their actions. (Cheers.) Mr. Kneeshaw had always been willing to assist the men as far as lay in his power, and had granted many necessary reforms in the working of the staff. (Cheers.)

Mr. Kneeshaw, upon rising to respond, was loudly cheered. He thanked them for the way they had received the toast. So far as the Commissioners were concerned it could hardly be expected that they could be present at the picnic.

Mr. Hollis: They ought to be. (Cheers.)

Mr. Kneeshaw: Well, that would mean a gigantic picnic for about three months in the year, for there were so many branches of the service which held their picnics at this time of the year. However, the secretary to the Commissioners (Mr. M'Lachlan) fully intended being present that day, but was prevented at the last moment. It was not for him (Mr. Kneeshaw) to respond for the Commissioners in the way that the secretary was empowered to do, but for all that, he thought the public and the railway and tramway employees would be pleased with the re-appointment of the present Railway Commissioners. There was, owing to the drought and other matters, an up-hill fight for the Commissioners for the next few years. They all hoped, however, that in the end all would come right again. (Cheers.) He thanked them for their invitation, and was pleased to spend a day with the men and their families. (Cheers.) When he came to the first tramway picnic, which was held on the same grounds as on this occasion six years ago, there were 850 tramway employees; now there were 4300. (Cheers.) The traffic branch six years ago numbered 250. To-day it totalled 2200. He thought they were doing well, and hoped they would continue advancing as in the past. (Cheers.) Messrs. Cowdry and Chamberlain also responded.

Several other toasts were proposed, including "The day we celebrate," which was drunk at the instance of Mr. Kelly.

The company having been photographed, returned to the grounds to continue the sports programme.

In order that many of the employees on the late shift might attend the picnic the same was kept up until 10 p.m., when all returned to town, having spent an enjoyable day.

Alleged Maliciously Shooting.—At the Water Police Court yesterday, before Mr. Isaacs, S.M., Herbert Hayes, 18, groom, was committed for trial at the Quarter Sessions on the 30th instant, on a charge of having maliciously shot at Francis Joseph Clark, with intent to do him grievous bodily harm. Bail was allowed.

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# THE NATIONAL RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

ANNUAL PRIZE MEETING.

SECOND DAY'S SHOOTING.

J. T. LAKE LEADING IN THE KING'S.

HIGH SCORING IN THE SYDNEY.

R. C. DAWSON WINS THE 1000 yds.

The second day's shooting in connection with the 43rd prize meeting of the National Rifle Association of New South Wales was continued at Randwick yesterday under fairly good weather conditions. In the early morning the targets were a bit hazy and the light was variable, whilst there was scarcely any breeze. Finding the proper elevation was the main difficulty. As the day wore on the light became clear, and continued so, but a slight rear wind changed to a fairly strong nor'-easter, which was gusty and tricky at intervals. On the whole the shooting was "hot." There were the usual break-downs, even of consistent performers, through getting into "bad patches" and changes. Those who registered tall scores obtained them when the wind was blowing steadily.

The second stage of The King's, seven shots each at 500 and 600 yards, was commenced at 8 a.m., and finished shortly after noon. Mr. J. T. Lake, the South Australian Bisley representative, who won the King's here last year, made 69 out of the possible 70, and now leads in the aggregate of the first and second stages with 165 points (32, 34, 30, 35, 34.)—only 10 points short of the highest possible at five ranges. Curious enough this was his total in the two stages in 1901. Private C. Morris (Goulburn) lies a close second with 163 (33, 34, 30, 34, 32); and Warrant-officer Sheldon (Engineers) follows with 162. Mr. J. D. Stinson, who was first in the opening stage, occupies sixth place with 161 points. Mr. Lake wins the silver medal for the highest scorer in the first and second stages.

The best score in the second stage of the King's was Mr. S. Sowden's (Queensland) 69. At 500 yards he made the "possible," and at the longer range he put on a centre with his first "sighter" and then a bull, and decided on counting them both in. He followed with five more "bulls," and probably would have registered the "possible" twice if he had not taken in his opening shot. The shoot was an excellent performance. "Possibles" at 600 yards were compiled by Mr. J. J. Broomham (St. Leonards) and Mr. J. E. Hart (Queensland), whilst no less than 16 were put up at 500 yards.

The tie between the six who scored the "possible" in the Randwick, 10 shots at 500 yards, on the previous afternoon, was decided during the morning, three shots being allowed at that range. Last year's winner, Mr. J. T. Lake (South Australia), was successful in retaining the distinction. The shoot off resulted:—

1. J. T. Lake, South Australia, 4, 5, 5—14, £7.
2. R. J. Drysdale, Victoria, 4, 5, 4—13, £6.
3. S. Sowden, Queensland, 5, 3, 5—13, £5.
4. J. D. Stinson, St. Leonards, 5, 3, 5—13, £4.
5. L. De Grandi, Victoria, 5, 2, 5—12, £3.
6. Corporal J. H. Williams, Victoria, 5, 2, 5—12, £2.

The Sydney, 10 shots at 600 yards, was commenced after lunch, and ended in three competitors scoring one short of the "possible," viz., Mr. W. G. Willoughby (Victoria), Mr. W. C. Coulter (Randwick and Coogee), and Lieutenant W. G. Rickwood (Naval Brigade). The Randwick man is a promising colt, who has only been shooting since the formation of his club 15 months ago. The tie will be decided to-day for first, second, and third places. Despite the irregular nor'-easter there were 14 scores of 44 counted out for £1 prizes. Last year the equivalent match—the Victorian—was won by Mr. A. Carter, a Victorian Bisley representative, with the "possible," and 43s came in for prizes.

The affiliated clubs' medal, open to winners of the N.R.A. medal, was fired about 4 p.m. at 1000 yards instead of 800 yards as formerly. The light was good, and the wind steady, requiring about 20 degrees left on the ventometer. The most surprising thing about the event was the number of marksmen who failed to record more than 20 points out of the possible 50. Two failed to find the target in the 10 shots, and only two out of the 98 entrants hit the canvas with every shot. The winner was Mr. R. C. Dawson, a young St. Leonards shot who has been shooting very consistently of late, particularly at the long ranges. He got nine shots on the target and scored 40. His fifth shot missed through his elbow slipping as he was pressing the trigger. The principal troubles experienced were in keeping the elevation and catching a clear view of the bull with the foresight—troubles which demand keen eyesight to surmount at such a distance.

The "Finn," or rapid firing at the "marching man," was extensively patronised, and better shooting took place than on Monday. A 25 out of 32 at present tops the list, and will take a deal of beating by Thursday, when the match concludes.

The enforcement of the time limit enabled the matches to be concluded at a satisfactory hour. The adjutant of the day was Captain Carroll, and the medical officer Major Perkins, D.S.O. Details:—

The King's.—First stage, 300, 500, and 600 yards, seven shots at each; second stage, 500 and 600 yards, seven shots at each; third stage, 800 and 900 yards, seven shots at each. Entrance, £1 10s. Section 1: First prize, £25; second prize, £15; third prize, £12; fourth prize, £8; five prizes of £7, £35; five prizes of £6, £30; 15 prizes of £5, £75; 35 prizes of £4, £140; 45 prizes of £3, £135. Section 2: Seventy-five prizes of £2, £150. Section 3: Fifty prizes of £1, £50. Twenty-five tyro prizes, £25. 250 prizes; total, £700. All entrants shoot through the three stages, and the prizes will be awarded as follows:—Section 1, to the highest 109 in aggregate of three stages; section 2, to the highest 75 in aggregate of first and second stages, barring winners in section 1; section 3, to the highest 50 in first stage, barring winners in sections 1 and 2.

The following 50 have secured the best aggregates in the first and second stages:—

| Name. | First Stage. | 2nd Stage. | Aggregate. |
|---|---|---|---|
| J. T. Lake, South Australia | 96 | 69 | 165 |
| Private C. Morris, Goulburn | 97 | 66 | 163 |
| W. O. Sheldon, Engineers | 96 | 66 | 162 |
| A.B. J. A. Ross, Victoria | 97 | 65 | 162 |
| H. Harvie, Sydney | 97 | 64 | 161 |
| J. D. Stinson, St. Leonards | 98 | 63 | 161 |
| W. G. Willoughby, Victoria | 94 | 66 | 160 |
| Staff Col.-Sergt. W. Clarke, Newcastle | 97 | 63 | 160 |
| J. E. Hart, Queensland | 93 | 66 | 159 |
| Sergeant G. Hawker, Victoria | 96 | 63 | 159 |
| Corporal J. H. Williams, Victoria | 96 | 63 | 159 |
| A. F. Carmichael, Queensland | 97 | 62 | 159 |
| G. R. Daniel, Western Suburbs | 92 | 66 | 158 |
| Private E. Kell, Bathurst | 94 | 64 | 158 |
| Captain G. Duncan, Victoria | 94 | 64 | 158 |
| R. W. Holt, Western Suburbs | 95 | 63 | 158 |
| S. Sowden, Queensland | 88 | 69 | 157 |
| R. Wallace, Queensland | 91 | 66 | 157 |
| E. J. Brown, Parramatta | 93 | 64 | 157 |
| E. T. Hopkins, Victoria | 93 | 64 | 157 |
| E. C. Faux, Kiama | 95 | 62 | 157 |
| W. H. Melville, Alexandria | 90 | 66 | 156 |
| Andrew Ferguson, Queensland | 90 | 66 | 156 |
| W. H. Gargett, Victoria | 90 | 66 | 156 |
| Constable D. Scott, Police | 91 | 65 | 156 |
| Bugler H. Hansard, Bathurst | 92 | 64 | 156 |
| R. Costin, Victoria | 92 | 64 | 156 |
| Lieutenant J. J. Heane, Dubbo | 92 | 64 | 156 |
| Lieut. W. G. Rickwood, N. Brigade | 88 | 68 | 156 |
| G. Gover, Victoria | 94 | 62 | 156 |
| F. Herrmann, Newcastle | 95 | 61 | 156 |
| Private Williams, Victoria | 91 | 64 | 155 |
| Lieut.-Col. Oldershaw, 1st Regt. | 92 | 63 | 155 |
| A. D. M'Queen, Victoria | 93 | 62 | 155 |
| W. Todd, Victoria | 93 | 62 | 155 |
| R. Lennox, Penrith | 94 | 61 | 155 |
| Corporal C. W. Paine, 2nd Regt. | 86 | 68 | 154 |
| R. Hodge, Queensland | 87 | 67 | 154 |
| J. Smith, Queensland | 91 | 63 | 154 |
| E. Hearne, Randwick | 94 | 60 | 154 |
| A. Gillespie, Gundagai | 94 | 60 | 154 |

154 each: W. Jacobs, Albury; G. Lindsay, Wollongong; Captain Newmarch, A.M. Corps.

153 each: W. M'Queen, Victoria; J. P. Hardy, Western Suburbs; Alex. Ferguson, Queensland; J. A. M'Queen, Victoria; Captain W. T. Bennett, Victoria; and J. J. Meekin, Queensland.

The highest scorers in the second stage of The King's, seven shots at 500 and 600 yards, were:—S. Sowden, Q., 35, 34—69; J. T. Lake, S.A., 35, 34—69; Corporal C. W. Paine, 2nd Regiment, 34, 34—68; R. Hodge, Q., 34, 33—67; H. Dakin, St. Leonards, 34, 33—67; E. Atkin, Alexandria, 35, 32—67; Quartermaster-sergeant M'Clennan, Q., 35, 32—67; J. R. Hassell, Grafton, 35, 32—67; J. E. Hart, Q., 31, 35—66; C. Campbell, Hargraves, 33, 33—66; W. H. Gargett, Vic., 33, 36—66; G. A. Daniel, Western Suburbs, 33, 33—66; R. Wallace, Q., 34, 32—66; C. Morris, Goulburn, 34, 32—66; W. R. Melville, Alexandria, 34, 32—66; W.O. Sheldon, Engineers, 35, 31—66; W. G. Willoughby, Vic., 35, 31—66; and And. Ferguson, Q., 35, 31—66.

THE SYDNEY.

600 yards, 10 shots. Time limit, 12 minutes. First prize, £8; second, £7; third, £6; fourth, £5; fifth, £4; sixth, £3; 15 prizes £2, £30; 37 prizes of £1, £37. Total, 58 prizes, £100.

| Prize. | Rank and Name. Corps | Score. |
|---|---|---|
| £8. | W. G. Willoughby, Victoria | 49* |
| £7. | Lieutenant W. G. Rickwood, N. Brigade | 49* |
| £6. | C. W. Coulter, R. and Coogee | 49* |
| £5. | G. Knight, Gerringong | 48 |
| £4. | Lieutenant S. Bagot, South Australia | 48 |
| £3. | President E. J. Brown, Parramatta | 48 |
| £2. | Corporal E. Garnsey, Dubbo | 48 |
| £2. | E. Atken, Alexandria | 48 |
| £2. | Andrew Ferguson, Queensland | 47 |
| £2. | President A. Adams, Tumut | 47 |
| £2. | W. H. Gargett, Victoria | 47 |
| £2. | A. Carter, Victoria | 47 |
| £2. | Constable D. Scott, Police | 47 |
| £2. | F. W. Tume, St. Leonards | 47 |
| £2. | F. J. Brown, Wyalong | 47 |
| £2. | President J. J. Piper, Narrabri | 47 |
| £2. | Lieutenant A. Blatch, 8th Regiment, Bulli | 46 |
| £2. | Q.M.-Sergt. W. C. Macklennan, Queensland | 46 |
| £2. | A. D. M'Queen, Victoria | 46 |
| £2. | Private A. Morris, Goulburn | 46 |
| £2. | Lieut.-Colonel W. Oldershaw, 1st Regiment | 46 |
| £2. | A. F. Carmichael, Queensland | 46 |
| £1. | E. Rosenfeld, St. Leonards | 46 |
| £1. | Corporal C. H. Toyer, 6th Regiment | 46 |
| £1. | Sergeant C. W. Paine, 2nd Regiment | 46 |
| £1. | Sergeant D. M'Cally, Army Medical Corps | 46 |
| £1. | J. Orr, St. Leonards | 45 |
| £1. | C. R. Newell, Lismore | 45 |
| £1. | Alexander Ferguson, Queensland | 45 |
| £1. | Corporal W. Soden, Queensland | 45 |
| £1. | P.O. R. Flukes, Naval Brigade | 45 |
| £1. | Secretary W. T. Palmer, Sunny Corner | 45 |
| £1. | President J. J. Mathieson, St. Leonards | 45 |
| £1. | H. J. Bourne, Gladesville | 45 |
| £1. | Sergeant W. J. Jamieson, Queensland | 45 |
| £1. | Q.M.-Sergeant M. Meaney, Engineers | 45 |
| £1. | J. D. Stinson, St. Leonards | 45 |
| £1. | R. Coston, Victoria | 45 |
| £1. | B. Craven, W. Suburbs | 45 |
| £1. | H. W. Hyde, Queensland | 45 |
| £1. | W. H. Ballenger, New Zealand | 45 |
| £1. | President J. Carter, Glen Innes | 45 |
| £1. | R. Lennox, Penrith | 45 |
| £1. | Private D. Mitchell, Kiama | 45 |
| £1. | Private A. W. Ball, Goulburn | 45 |
| £1. | Private E. C. Faux, Kiama | 45 |
| £1. | Private A. Kefford, Victoria | 45 |
| £1. | J. E. Hart, Queensland | 45 |
| £1. | Private W. Williams, Victoria | 45 |
| £1. | F. G. Harrison, Lismore | 45 |
| £1. | Captain J. J. Paine, Windsor | 45 |
| £1. | J. T. Lake, South Australia | 44 |
| £1. | Lieutenant W. J. Buley, Victoria | 44 |
| £1. | R. Wallace, Queensland | 44 |
| £1. | C. J. Blythe, Hastings River | 44 |
| £1. | H. R. Neate, Blackheath | 44 |
| £1. | H. Symonds, West Wyalong | 44 |
| £1. | R. S. Walker, Kiama | 44 |

* Ties to be shot off to-day.

Fourteen scores of 44, of lesser value, counted out.

AFFILIATED CLUBS' MEDAL.

1000 yards, 10 shots. Time limit, 12 minutes. Open to all winners of a silver medal given by the Association to affiliated rifle clubs under Rule XVIII., irrespective of the date of winning. First prize, £5; second prize, £4; third prize, £3; four prizes of £2, £8; five prizes of £1, £5. Twelve prizes, £25.

| Prize. | Rank and Name, Corps. | Score. |
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| £5. | R. C. Dawson, St. Leonards | 40 |
| £4. | Private W. Edgar, National Guard | 39 |
| £3. | J. Orr, St. Leonards | 37 |
| £2. | Secretary H. Dakin, St. Leonards | 36 |
| £2. | A.B. J. Fenn, N.B. | 36 |
| £2. | President E.W. Hearne, Randwick and Coogee | 36 |
| £2. | A.B. B. Young, N.B. | 36 |
| £1. | W. Nelson, Gerringong | 35 |
| £1. | Corporal J. E. Arnold, Albury | 35 |
| £1. | A. Kefford, Victoria | 35 |
| £1. | Private A. Cutler, Bathurst | 34 |
| £1. | R. M'Cook, Parramatta | 34 |

Three scores of 34 of less value counted out.

THE CONTINUOUS.

800 yards, five shots, open to all comers; re-entries allowed. Prizes—(1) 40 per cent. of the proceeds of tickets, divided daily into prizes of £1 each, of which competitors may win an unlimited number; (2) articles in kind presented by merchants of Sydney, and numbered according to value, for daily aggregate of competitors' scores.

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| £1. | Staff Colour-sergeant W. Clarke, Newcastle | 25 |
| £1. | T. Twentyman, Victoria | 25 |
| £1. | J. A. Rose, Victoria | 25 |
| £1. | Sergeant D. M'Cally, A. M. Corps | 25 |
| £1. | C. Hungerford, Western Suburbs | 24 |
| £1. | A.R. Buckley, Naval Brigade | 24 |
| £1. | A.B. Ben. Young, Naval Brigade | 24 |
| 10s. | Private H. Pickett, National Guard | 24 |
| 10s. | R. Arblaster, Parramatta | 24 |

500 YARDS AGGREGATE.

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| Staff Colour-sergeant W. Clarke | 72 | £2 2s trophy |
| R. Arblaster, Parramatta | 71 | £1 1s trophy |
| Quartermaster-sergeant J. E. Draper | 69 | £1 1s trophy |
| W. Todd, Victoria | 68 | 10s 6d trophy |

900 YARDS CONTINUOUS.

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| £1. | R. M'Cook, Parramatta | 24 |
| £1. | Staff-Sergeant J. Bilton, 2nd Regiment | 23 |
| £1. | Staff-Sergeant J. Bilton, 2nd Regiment | 23 |
| £1. | W. Priddle, Australian Horse | 23 |
| £1. | W. Todd, Victoria | 23 |
| £1. | J. P. Hardy, Western Suburbs | 23 |
| £1. | —. Whelan, Wyalong | 23 |

TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME.

This morning the third and final stage of the King's will be decided, the conditions being seven shots each at 800 and 900 yards. There is certain to be a good shuffle of positions, as many now well up in the medium ranges may "break" at the long distances, thus giving those with 140 to 150 a last chance at getting into the final section. The 50 leading men in the aggregates of the first and second stages comprise 25 New South Wales entrants (14 metropolitan and 11 country), 15 Victorians, nine Queenslanders, and Mr. Lake, of South Australia, who is first. After the King's is disposed of the Jaques, seven shots each at 700 and 800 yards, will be shot, and in the afternoon the Schools' Challenge Shield.

To-morrow the official luncheon takes place, at which a representative gathering is expected. The Parliamentary will be fired at 11 a.m.

# NEWCASTLE.

WATER AND SEWERAGE BOARD.

NEWCASTLE, Tuesday.

A meeting of the Hunter District Water and Sewerage Board was held to-day, Mr. W. J. Millner presiding. A letter was read from the Acting Deputy Postmaster-General, intimating the advice of the Commonwealth Attorney-General that Commonwealth property is not liable for rates, and that in consequence payment for the water supplied by the board to the various post and telegraph offices in the district could only be made as for services rendered, and asking that the board would state its terms for supplying water to the same through meter; or, if that were impossible, the lowest annual sum required for supplying on the basis of services rendered. A report from the assessor was submitted showing the assessment on the various properties. The board adopted a minimum charge in each case upon which they were prepared to supply, and it was decided that the Acting Deputy Postmaster-General should be advised accordingly.

The engineer's special weekly report dealing with the conditions of the intake, storage reservoir, &c., during the drought was submitted, and showed that on the 14th instant the height of water at the intake was 10½in. The next day, however, the river began to rise, and on the 16th attained a height of 6ft., the gauge and platform at the intake being submerged. The board considered that the drought conditions had now practically ceased.

THE COAL EXPORT TRADE.

The clearances at the Customs to-day were:—The steamer Alala, for Port Pirie, via Wallaroo, with 5200 tons of coal; the steamer Foreric, for Vancouver, via Suva, with 2150 tons; the Italian barque Pasquatino, for Mollendo, with 1203 tons of Seaham coal and 3 tons of coke; the steamer Ouraka, for Cairns, via Queensland ports, with 1500 tons of coal; the Norwegian barque Catharina, for Junin, with 1656 tons of Duckenfield coal; the barque Hirotha, for Auckland, with 850 tons of East Greta coal; the steamer Tomoana, for London, via Sydney, with 2080 bales of wool and 200 tons of bullion; the steamer Albany, for Ocean Island, via Sydney, with 850 tons of coal; and the steamer Oonah, for Hobart via Sydney, with 1000 tons.

The steamer Alala sailed to-day as above. Also, the steamer Kooringa, for Fremantle, with 2250 tons of coal; the steamer Willyama, for Port Pirie, via Sydney, with 2900 tons; and the steamer Zealandia, for Auckland, via Sydney, with 1100 tons of coal and a quantity of timber.

The barque River Indus, which arrived last night from Algoa Bay, will load East Greta coal for Acapulco; and the steamer Uruwa, which arrived to-day, will load East Greta coal for Gisborne. The steamer Queen Alexandra, which reached port to-day from Brisbane, loads Seaham coal from Manila.

DISOBEYING LAWFUL COMMANDS.

At the Newcastle Police Court to-day, before Mr. M. S. Love, S.M., three seamen belonging to the crew of the British registered steamer Tomoana were charged with disobeying the lawful command of the chief officer of the vessel. Mr. Windeyer appeared for the prosecution, and Mr. W. A. Reid for the defence. It appeared that on Sunday morning last when the steamer came alongside the wharf, being light and high out of the water, the chief officer ordered the crew to put the accommodation ladder over the side, there being only the pilot's ladder at this time over the side. The crew refused to carry out the order, but when the police came on board they all turned to with the exception of the three defendants. The excuse made was that it was unnecessary work on a Sunday. The captain, who deposed that the ladder was necessary for the safety of all on the vessel, stated that he did not ask for a heavy penalty, but wished to let the defendants understand that the order was a lawful one. Defendants were sentenced to 10 minutes' imprisonment, and ordered to pay costs amounting to £1 6s.

PROPOSED SEWERAGE LEGISLATION.

The Water and Sewerage Board had again under consideration to-day a bill which the Minister for Works intends to introduce to vest the storm-water drains in the board, to provide for the collection of revenue therewith, and to enable the board to carry out the work of house connections with one system of deferred payments. Among the papers connected with the matter was a communication from the Under-Secretary for Public Works, and it was decided he should be thanked for the assurance given that his promise in regard to the postponement of levying of drainage rates would be carried out. Under the circumstances the board had no objection to offer to the bill as drafted, but with regard to the portion dealing with the house connection under a system of deferred payments the board hoped the Minister would see his way to extend the time of repayment, making it by quarterly instalments extending over six years instead of three years, as provided in the bill. It was also decided to ask that the bill provide for carrying out of house connections as sewers are laid, so as to avoid the delay and inconvenience which would arise if connections were deferred until the main scheme was completed.

A YOUTH DROWNED.

Shortly after 11 o'clock this morning a youth named Galbraith Brecken Thompson, aged 17 years, son of Sergeant Thompson, of Stockton, was drowned in the river off Tomago. It appears that the deceased was engaged on a hulk belonging to Messrs. Callen Brothers, Stockton. The Pearl was being towed by a small steamer called Centenary, in charge of a man named Daniel Gourlay, and in rounding up to the wharf at Tomago against a strong flood tide it was necessary to give both vessels the port helm, and Gourlay called to the deceased to do so on board the Pearl. Gourlay on looking round a moment or two later noticed the deceased in the water. He cast off his tow and proceeded with the steamer to the rescue, but before he could reach the spot the boy sank. The water police have since been searching for the body, but without success.

A successful continental was held by the City Band on the Upper Reserve to-night, for the purpose of augmenting the funds to defray the expenses of members in visiting Ballarat for the interstate band competition.

A child named Edith Mabel Crossland, aged 18 months, daughter of Robert Crossland, Harrison-street, Smedmore, strayed away from home this afternoon for a few minutes, and fell into a drain, in which she was found drowned.

The directors of the Victoria Theatre Company have declared a dividend of 5½ per cent. for the half-year.

At the annual revision court held to-day for Newcastle East and Newcastle West, 20 and 19 applications respectively were received for the female franchise.

# MRS. ROOSEVELT AND THE RUSSIAN PRINCE.

WHY SHE SNUBBED HIM.

A special to the New York "Sun" from Oyster Bay on September 4 says:—Grand Duke Boris came over from Oyster Bay to Newport to pay his respects to President Roosevelt. He had no opportunity to pay his respects to Mrs. Roosevelt. There was a luncheon at Mrs. James A. Roosevelt's for Henry White, Secretary of the London Embassy. Mrs. Roosevelt was at this luncheon until after the Grand Duke had gone.

The Grand Duke came on D. Ogden Mills' yacht Felicia. With him were Mr. Mills, Count Cassini (the Russian Ambassador), Assistant Secretary Pierce, of the State Department, and four members of the Prince's suite. The Grand Duke was entertained at luncheon and then returned to Newport.

The New York "World" says the news that the Grand Duke was not presented to Mrs. Roosevelt will be received with great interest boy members of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union in various sections of the country. Stories of the Grand Duke's alleged exploits in Chicago, where he is reported to have drunk wine from the slipper of a chorus girl, made a profound impression on some members of the organisation, and they wrote to the President about the matter, explaining that it would be highly improper for the Grand Duke to be received at the home of the nation's Chief Executive.

The President could not see his way clear to refuse to welcome the cousin of the Czar, a Sovereign with whom this nation enjoys the most cordial relations. Particularly did such a course seem difficult when it was made known that Count Cassini, the Russian Ambassador, would accompany the Grand Duke to Oyster Bay.

For these conflicting reasons much curiosity had been aroused when it was announced definitely that the Grand Duke Boris would be the President's guest. Curiosity has been settled in a way satisfactory to the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, for before the Grand Duke arrived at Sagamore Hill Mrs. Roosevelt left and stayed away until he had departed.

# NEW SOUTH WALES PARLIAMENT.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 21.

The Speaker took the chair at half-past 4 o'clock.

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS.

The PREMIER, in answer to Mr. Daley, said it was not a fact that in the Parramatta Asylum for the Aged Poor the decrepit and infirm were compelled to work for the superintendent in and about the household. The average cost per week for each inmate was approximately 10s. Money was paid as gratuities to inmate artisans for work done. The Parramatta District Board for Old-age Pensions was composed of Messrs. E. Hanson (chairman), H. Baylis and Dr. W. S. Brown (members). The fee payable to each member of the board, other than Mr. Hanson, was £1 1s for every attendance at a meeting of the board. Mr. Hanson, who holds the position of chairman in conjunction with that of Director of Government Asylums for the Infirm, did not receive any fees.

The PREMIER, in answer to Mr. Daley, said the Harbour Trust Commissioners had taken over the Model Lodging-house, Kent-street. The question of the salaries of the employees was under consideration.

The MINISTER FOR LANDS, in answer to Dr. Ross, said the members of the Western Lands Commission were appointed as from January 1, 1902. The Commissioners had been fully engaged in discharging the duties imposed on them by the Act.

The PREMIER, in answer to Mr. John Hurley, who asked under what law the Crown demanded security for costs in the claim of Comte de Rossi, said the Attorney-General and the Minister for Justice had furnished him with the following reply:—"The Crown, so far from admitting that there is a case to go to the jury, is confident that there is none. Accordingly the Statute of Limitations was pleaded to avoid the waste of public money in a fruitless lawsuit. If, however, security for costs be given, the public money will not be risked, and therefore, as a concession, the Crown will waive the statute on such security being given."

The TREASURER, in answer to Mr. Oakes, said the whole of the £32,000 voted last year for the returned contingents from South Africa had been expended in accordance with the terms of the vote.

The PREMIER, in answer to Mr. J. C. L. Fitzpatrick, said it had been decided, in view of the necessity for keeping the expenditure in connection with agricultural societies within reasonable bounds, that free passes could not be granted to judges travelling on the railways to agricultural shows.

The TREASURER, in answer to Mr. E. M. Clark, said the Railway Commissioners recently approved of plans and expenditure for new station buildings at the Hawkesbury River.

The PREMIER, in answer to Mr. Quinn, said the Attorney-General and Minister for Justice had informed him that the question as to whether the clause in the Federal Electoral Bill precluding State members of Parliament from candidature for the Federal Parliament was ultra vires under the Constitution, was a matter for judicial determination.

EASTERN DIVISION CROWN LANDS.

Mr. J. C. L. FITZPATRICK asked the Minister for Lands if it had been brought within the cognisance of any of the officers of his department that land in favoured districts in the Eastern Division had been applied for under conditional purchase and conditional lease by speculators, who had immediately let such land for pasture purposes to owners of starving stock; and before confirmation of such land to them, had withdrawn their applications and applied for refund of their deposits.

The MINISTER FOR LANDS said he would make inquiries.

WEATHER FORECASTING.

The MINISTER FOR EDUCATION, in reply to a series of questions by Dr. Ross, said the Government Astronomer had supplied him with the following information:—The weather departments of different countries were isolated. They were complete in their own countries, but they had not combined, owing to the heavy cost of forecasting for the world. New South Wales was the only country where the weather was forecasted years in advance, as he had done since early in 1901. Two clerks—Mr. Hunt, £300; Mr. Wilson, £200—and two boys at £52 each, were engaged in the work. Inland there were 31 meteorological stations. They were established to determine climatic conditions; latterly they had furnished observations for the weather forecasting. Of the forecasting 92 per cent. were correct. A great number of careful observers regularly studied the forecasts, and thanked him for the success of the forecasts. New South Wales meteorological stations, as well as those of Victoria, South Australia, and Western Australia, were now in the hands of the Federal Government.

THE REDFERN TRAGEDY.

Dr. ROSS asked the Premier whether it was intended to hand over the reward offered for the apprehension of the murderer of the late Constable Guilfoyle to the relatives of the late Constable Johnson, the Victorian constable who was shot by Shaw.

The PREMIER said he had been expecting a question of this kind, and had had a consultation with Inspector-General Fosbery. A reward of £200 was offered for the arrest of Constable Guilfoyle's murderer. The deceased Shaw was Constable Guilfoyle's murderer. Had the Victorian constable arrested Shaw he would have been entitled to the reward. As, however, the constable lost his life it appeared that his widow had a strong claim to the reward, and the Government would endeavour to do what was just in the matter.

MOTION FOR ADJOURNMENT.—ADMINISTRATION OF FEDERAL LAWS.

Mr. MEAGHER moved the adjournment of the House to discuss "the vexatious and harassing administration of the federal laws in the State of New South Wales." He said he thought the House should express an opinion upon the position in which the State of New South Wales found itself under the laws promulgated by the Federal Parliament and their peculiar administration by utilising the machinery of the law in the State.

Mr. AFFLECK raised a point of order. He said the motion was out of order as a similar motion—that of Mr. Eden George—had previously been discussed.

Mr. J. C. L. FITZPATRICK said Mr. Meagher's motion raised a totally different subject to that involved in Mr. Eden George's motion.

Mr. LEVY said the present motion must involve the same discussion as the previous one.

The PREMIER said that in his opinion the motion for the adjournment was synonymous with the motion moved by Mr. Eden George during the previous week.

The SPEAKER said he was of opinion that the motion for the adjournment would practically raise the same debate that took place on Mr. Eden George's motion, hence he ruled Mr. Meagher's motion out of order.

METHODIST UNION BILL.

Mr. FEGAN moved the second reading of the Methodist Union Bill. He explained that the object of the measure was to clothe with legal power the union of the Primitive Methodist Church, the United Methodist Church, and the Wesleyan Church, besides giving the united Church power to deal with Church government, and to appoint one body of trustees to control burial grounds.

Mr. MEAGHER said the House was entitled to know the value of the assets in New South Wales which it was intended to place under the control of the trustees. On the evidence given before the select committee the position of the bill was, to say the least of it, peculiar. It showed that the bill was intended to get rid of a difficulty in "Wesley's Model Deed." But it should have been laid upon the table, and the effect and operation of that "Model Deed" should have been explained to the House, because it was useless to try to lead the House blindfold in regard to a matter which would probably require interpretation at the hands of British jurists. An Act had been passed by the Imperial Parliament with regard to a fund of one million pounds raised by the Methodists of England. It was a fine constitutional point as to how the Imperial Act affected the bill before them, and it was for the member in charge of the bill to show that its provisions did not clash with the Imperial legislation.

Mr. ARTHUR GRIFFITH asked the House to pass the bill without further debate.

Mr. D. O'CONNOR said he would support the bill. He was glad to give his vote to consolidate any body of Christians.

The motion for the second reading was agreed to, and the House went into committee to consider the bill in detail. The whole of the clauses were agreed to without amendment, and the bill was reported to the House.

SUNDAY OBSERVANCE BILL.

Mr. AFFLECK moved.—"That the House resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole to consider the expediency of introducing a Sunday Observance Bill."

The motion was agreed to, and the House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole.

Mr. AFFLECK moved,—"That it is expedient to bring in a bill to provide for the better observance of the Sunday, for the closing of business places, and prohibiting the sale of goods in those places during certain hours, to amend the Liquor Act, 1898, and for purposes incidental to or consequent on those objects." The bill he proposed to introduce sought to make the existing Sunday closing law more emphatic and stringent than was the case at present. With the exception of restaurants and chemists' shops, he proposed that all places of business should close at 12 o'clock on Saturday night and not re-open again until Monday morning. In the case of restaurants and chemists' shops it was proposed that they be allowed to keep open on Sundays from 8 a.m. to 10 a.m., also from 12 noon to 2 p.m., and from 5.30 p.m. to 7 p.m. Provision would be made that no publican would be allowed to supply liquor to lodgers or anyone else for the purpose of giving it to people outside.

Mr. J. C. L. FITZPATRICK said the member for Yass admitted that the law on the Statute Book was strong enough to cope with Sunday trading. If that was the case, he felt there was no necessity for such a bill. (Hear, hear.)

Mr. A. GRIFFITH said he favoured everything in the way of decreasing the working hours of the community. He desired to see the trading aspect of the question reduced as far as possible, and the Sunday made a reasonable holiday. But he did not mean by that the opening of public-houses on Sundays.

Mr. SLEATH said there had been no demand in this State for a measure of this character. On the other hand public feeling was in the contrary direction, and he thought if any legislative steps were to be taken in this regard it should apply also to trams, 'buses, and steamboats.

On division the motion was agreed to by 26 votes to 12.

On the motion that the committee's resolution be agreed to by the House,

Mr. NORTON said this was special legislation of a most obnoxious kind, and he thought the resolution ought not to be agreed to. Legislation of this kind would not make the Sabbath any more sacred.

Mr. CARROLL said he altogether disagreed with the bill, and was of opinion that instead of affording relief to the people it would inflict a great hardship.

The MINISTER FOR WORKS said he wished to explain that the Government in voting for the motion of the member for Yass only desired to give him an opportunity to introduce his bill. After that the measure would have to be considered on its merits.

Mr MEAGHER said that the member for Yass had told them clearly in committee what the nature of his bill would be, and members should have the courage to throw the matter aside at this stage, instead of waiting until the measure was introduced.

On division the resolution was agreed to by 29 votes to 17. On the question "That the bill be read the first time," a division was called for, and the motion was resolved in the affirmative, the voting being as before—Ayes, 29; noes, 17. The bill was then brought in and read the first time.

A division was called for on the motion to fix the second reading for November 4, which was passed in the affirmative, the voting being—Ayes, 27; noes, 19.

MOTION FOR A SELECT COMMITTEE.

Debate was resumed on a motion by Mr. A. Griffith for the appointment of a select committee to inquire into and report upon all the circumstances connected with the alleged improper conduct of an inquiry by the Public Service Board which resulted in the removal from the Public Service of James Stephen Inch.

Mr. HOGUE said that the mover was aiming at the Public Service Board. If that was what was required, and the Government or the House thought it necessary, a Royal Commission should be appointed. The inquiry was proposed to be made into a very much wider subject than the mere dismissal of an officer. In the circumstances he found it his duty to vote against the motion.

Mr. MACDONALD believed that an injustice had been done, and would vote for giving an opportunity for an investigation.

Mr. JOHN HURLY said this matter ought not to have been brought before Parliament. He was sure that the House would reject a proposal to investigate a matter that had already been fully investigated.

The TREASURER said that so far as the Public Service Board was connected with this matter, he was firmly of opinion that that body had not been guilty of doing anything unworthy of its responsibility to the Civil Service by its action. He asked Mr. A. Griffith to consent to withdraw the motion, and if he did so he (the Treasurer) would undertake to go carefully into the whole matter with the member for Waratah. If it could then be shown that there had been a miscarriage of justice he undertook to bring the matter before the Cabinet for consideration.

Mr. Ashton, Mr. Jessep, and other members continued the debate.

COUNT OUT.

At a quarter past 12 o'clock attention was called to the state of the House, and there being no quorum present an adjournment was made to the following day.

# PARRAMATTA DISTRICT.

RIVER IMPROVEMENT LEAGUE.

At a general meeting of the Parramatta River Improvement League on Monday evening the chairman, Alderman T. R. Moxham, M.L.A., stated that he had seen the Minister for Works lately in reference to the river improvements, and the Minister had stated that Parramatta would receive justice, and in the end the people would have no reason to complain. The secretary of the Harbour Trust wrote, in reply to a communication from the league, asking that on the completion of dredging operations between the tram wharf and Ryde the dredges be put to work to dredge from the tram wharf towards the town of Parramatta, and stated that the Commissioners could not see their way clear to accede to the request.

AN EPIDEMIC.

Some 30 or 40 cases of a mild form of diphtheria have occurred lately in the town. The cases have generally proved of a mild nature, quickly yielding to proper remedial treatment.

# TIPCARTERS AND THE RAILWAY COMMISSIONERS.

At the meeting of the Tipcarters' Union, held last night at the Trades Hall, a letter was read from the Railway Commissioners stating that the demand for a working week of six days, or the equivalent of 48 hours, could not be granted. At present the men cease work on Friday after 40 hours' employment for the week, and are accordingly paid for five days only. The Commissioners point out that the distribution of metal by the men on Saturday would cause inconvenience, as it could not be spread until Monday. Members of the union urge that the limitation is unjust, as members now only receive 11s a day, where some years ago they received 12s, and that with the existing rates of horse-feed and increased cost of living it means a heavy reduction.

# AMUSEMENTS.

THEATRE ROYAL.

This afternoon there will be a matinee of "Sherlock Holmes" at the Theatre Royal, where William Gillette's clever sensational drama is well and strongly acted by Mr. Cuyler Hastings and the members of Mr. J. C. Williamson's Company.

Last night Madame Melba and a party of her friends witnessed "Sherlock Holmes." The famous singer was received on her arrival by Mr. H. H. Vincent (assistant manager with Mr. J. C. Williamson) and Mr. G. L. Goodman (business manager), to whom during the evening she expressed her warm appreciation of the performance.

PALACE THEATRE.

There will be a matinee of "The Messenger Boy" at the Palace Theatre to-day. The popular and vivacious musical comedy will then enter upon its last nights, as Mr. J. C. Williamson's company will sail for New Zealand at the end of the month.

LYCEUM THEATRE.

"A Million of Money" is drawing large audiences at the Lyceum Theatre, where Mr. Bland Holt has staged the Drury Lane drama with wealth of picturesque detail throughout all its many changing scenes.

CRITERION THEATRE.

The final matinee of "Mrs. Goldstein" is announced for to-day at the Criterion Theatre, as on Saturday that amusing piece will be replaced by "Little Christopher Columbus." Mr. J. F. Sheridan will again appear as O'Hooligan, with Mr. Charles Kenningham as Don Juan, supported by M. Leon Roche, Misses Celia Mavis, Florrie Barnes, and other artists.

TIVOLI THEATRE.

This afternoon and evening Sandow will appear under Harry Rickards' management at the Tivoli Theatre, where a strong programme includes the Nawns, the Montrose Company of Acrobats, Mr. A. G. Spry, and Mr. Wallace Brownlow. Mr. Rickards now announces the last four nights of the Sandow season.

"CYRANO DE BERGERAC."

On Saturday, November 1, Mr. William Anderson will produce Edmond Rostand's great romantic drama at the Palace Theatre. Mr. Henry Lee will appear as the poet swordsman, a character he has played with success in the United States. Miss Eugenie Duggan will be the new Roxane. Already rehearsals are well advanced.

THE MELBA CONCERT SEASON.

Madame Melba will make her last appearance at the Town Hall to-morrow night, and already a great audience is assured for an evening which cannot fail to prove eventful. Mme. Melba will sing "Caro Nome," the mad scene from "Hamlet," the addio from Puccini's "La Boheme," and "Les Filles de Cadix" (Delibes). Herr Louis Arens's principal number will be "Lohengrin's Farewell," and Signor M. Benaudé, Mr. Frederick Griffith, Signorina Sassoli, and Miss Llewela Davies will also contribute to the programme. There are still seats to be had at Nicholson's in every division, though the booking is unusually heavy.

THE DOLORES' SONG RECITALS.

Mlle. Antonia Dolores, who has visited Western Australia since her last appearance in Sydney, will arrive here from Tasmania, via Melbourne, to-day. The famous lyric soprano will only make a brief stay in Sydney, and may not be seen again here for several years, as she returns to Europe after her next tour of America. Mlle. Antonia Dolores will, however, give three farewell concerts at the Town Hall, opening on Saturday, when her list of songs will include the formidable variations on the "Carnival of Venice," and some of Dvorak's beautiful "Gipsy Songs." Mr. Clarence Newell will be the solo pianist. The plan opens to-day at Paling's.

SATURDAY POPULAR CONCERTS.

Madame Slapoffski will again appear at the Saturday Popular Concerts at the Centenary Hall, where Mr. E. Stevenson is showing laudable enterprise in securing the services of the operatic prima donna. Mme. Slapoffski will sing on Saturday Michaela's great aria from "Carmen," and Salaman's "My Star." Miss Edith Tasca-Page and M. Henri Staell will appear, as well as other artists.

# CHURCH NEWS.

BALMAIN CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.

Special services in commemoration of the 44th anniversary of the Sabbath School connected with the Balmain Congregational Church were held on Sunday, the preachers being the Revs. F. Binns, E. N. Merrington, and Henry Gainford (pastor). Bright music, with special choruses, was rendered by a choir of 250 children, assisted by adults, under the conductorship of Mr. W. I. B. Mote. There were large congregations. Mr. R. Milne presided at the organ.

UNITED TENT MISSION AT BALMAIN.

The United Tent Mission, in connection with which the Rev. Charles T. Newman has been appointed missioner, was opened at Balmain West, on the grounds adjoining St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, on Sunday, and will be continued until the evening of the 27th instant. At night the tent is illuminated with acetylene gas, and accommodation is provided for about 800 persons. The opening services were largely attended, especially at night, when a large number were unable to gain admission. The mission is controlled by a committee, consisting of the local ministers and laymen.

# THE WEATHER.

No rainfalls were reported to the Observatory yesterday from any portion of the State. During Monday night a few showers fell on a portion of the northern coast extending from Seal Rocks to Woolgoolga, the best records being:—Seal Rocks, 24 points; Manning River, 20; Camden Haven, 18; and Port Macquarie, 15. Light showers were also received over the south-eastern corner of the State, the falls ranging from 2 points at Bungendore to 11 at Queanbeyan. Heavy seas were running last night at Tweed Heads; but all other coastal stations reported smooth to moderate seas. Light north-east winds prevailed generally, with calms at Ulladulla and Bateman's Bay.

Mr. Russell says that fine and warm weather will be experienced to-day, to be followed by thunderstorms and showers in the far west. Squally northerly winds will prevail, changing in a day or two to cool southerlies.

With reference to the phenominal falls of rain on Sunday over a portion of the southern highlands mentioned in our issue of yesterday, Mr. C. W. Bowyer-Smyth, of Green Hills, Sutton Forest, writes under date of Sunday:—"This morning at 7.30 o'clock it commenced raining heavily, with wind south and squally, and it continued without ceasing for seven hours, accompanied throughout with lightning and thunder. During that time my gauge registered 9·68 inches or 1·38 inches per hour. If such a fall has been at all general in the district floods about Windsor and Richmond appear to all to be inevitable."

THE CATCHMENT AREA.

The flow of the Cataract River, on the Prospect catchment area, for the 24 hours ended at 9 o'clock yesterday morning was 37,000,000 gallons, showing a falling-off of 10,000,000 gallons as compared with the preceding 24 hours. The Nepean carried 97,000,000 gallons. The inflow to the Prospect Reservoir for the 24 hours ended at 9 o'clock yesterday morning was 119,853,000 gallons. The rate of the inflow on Monday night was 55,000,000 gallons per 24 hours. The level of the water in the reservoir was 172·75, as against 172·33 on the previous day.

RISE IN THE HAWKESBURY RIVER.

WINDSOR, Tuesday.

The Hawkesbury River has risen 8ft. This rise in the river will do a great amount of good as the salt water was fast approaching the town. The district is looking splendid, and the grass looks luxurious and green.

BOURKE, Tuesday.

Yesterday the temperature was 95° in the shade. To-day it was 101°.

HELENSBURGH, Tuesday.

The recent rains have done unbounded good. The Metropolitan Coal Company's dams are almost full.

PAMBULA, Tuesday.

Light rains fell again last night. The recent showers have considerably freshened up the pastures. The late frosts seriously damaged the potato and other crops.

WILDE'S MEADOW, Tuesday.

On Sunday thunderstorms occurred from 7 a.m. to 5 p.m., and rain fell incessantly. The record was 887 points. The Yarrunga Creek overflowed for the first time since August, 1901. Market gardeners have lost very heavily in early crops. Amongst farmers no serious loss has been sustained, but lands on the hill sides were furrowed with water channels, even where oat crops were fairly high.

YAMBULLA, Tuesday.

Two inches of rain fell on Sunday.

# THE MOUNT KEMBLA DISASTER.

THE BALMAIN FUND.

The citizens' committee appointed at a public meeting held at Balmain shortly after the disaster occurred at Mount Kembla Colliery to collect subscriptions on behalf of the sufferers through the calamity held its final meeting last week. The Mayor (Alderman H. Cox) presided. The secretaries reported that the total amount received through the efforts of the committee had been £175 3s 8d, while the expenditure had only amounted to £5 16s 3d. The sum forwarded to the central committee was £169 7s 5d. We have been requested to publish the following list of collections and donations:—Street collection, £34 2s 2d; Mort's Dock and Engineering Company, £25; Mort's Dock employees' collection, £28 18s 6d; proceeds from concert organised by Miss Bernard, £21 10s 6d; amount collected on lists Nos. 43, 44, 27, 225, 154, 197, and 222, £16 1s; amounts under 20s, £15 0s 6d; St. John's Church Balmain North, £3 4s; Lodge Pacific, U.G.L. of New South Wales, £3 3s; Messrs. Overall and Overall, £2 17s 6d; Mr. D. Drake, £2 5s 6d; Balmain East Methodist Church, £2 5s 6d; corporation employees, £2 3s; Court Foresters' Home, £2 2s; L.O.L., No 33, £2 2s; Protestant Alliance Benefit Society, £2 2s; Loyal Balmain Lodge, M.U.I.O.O.F., £1 10s; Mrs. Harwood, £1 6s; Crystal Spring Tent, I.O.R., £1 5s 6d; Messrs. Swan Brothers, George Boulton, J. Harwood, and J. G. Harris, £1 1s each; Messrs. S. J. Law and J. Storey, Ms.L.A., £1 each.

THE LABOUR COLLECTION.

Arrangements have now been completed for a public collection under the auspices of the Sydney Labour Council in aid of the Mount Kembla Disaster Relief Fund on Sunday, November 2. The Agricultural Ground has been granted free for the purpose, and as a programme of music is to be played during the afternoon by massed military bands, under the conductorship of Bandmaster Bentley, a large attendance is expected.

# WATERLOO AND ALEXANDRIA CITY MISSION.

VISIT OF LADY RAWSON.

The annual distribution of prizes in connection with the Waterloo and Alexandria branch of the Sydney City Mission took place last evening. The event created considerable interest in the district, and the gathering was one of the largest that has taken place in this mission hall. Further importance was given to the occasion from the fact that the Premier, Sir John See, presided, and delivered an address, while Lady Rawson, who was accompanied by Captain Robertson Clarke, A.D.C., presented the prizes to the children. The interior of the hall was beautifully decorated with flags and evergreens. The children, to the number of between 300 and 400, were seated on a raised platform at the rear of the hall. Among those who occupied seats near the chairman were Mr. G. Anderson, M.L.A., and Mrs. Anderson, Mr. J. R. Dacey, M.L.A., and Mrs. Dacey, the Rev. E. Moore (general secretary of the mission), the Mayor and Mayoress of Alexandria, Alderman and Mrs. Brown; also a number of the aldermen and leading residents of the surrounding boroughs.

The proceedings were opened by devotional exercises, led by the Rev. E. Moore, after which a musical programme was rendered by the children, under the conductorship of Mr. Harry Hone. Mrs. Main was organist and Miss Chattarn presided at the piano. A full orchestra also assisted.

The Sunday-school secretary, Mr. Bandinet, submitted his annual report, which showed that there were 542 children on the roll, which was an increase for the year of 80. In other respects the school had made steady progress.

The Premier, who was enthusiastically received, said that he considered it was the duty of every public man to show his appreciation of the gallant work that men and women were engaged in in the city and suburbs of Sydney to alleviate and ameliorate the conditions of the industrial masses. (Applause.) He was pleased to notice the interest taken by Sir Harry and Lady Rawson in the welfare of the people of this State. When men and women found their work appreciated by ladies and gentlemen occupying such high positions as Sir Harry and Lady Rawson filled, he was certain it would be a stimulus to those earnest workers to even do better in the future. He would join heartily with those present in thanking Lady Rawson for her attendance that night. He hoped that the mission would attain even greater results in the future than had been the case in the past. (Applause.) He considered that it was a ben fit to the mission to be a non-sectarian body. It was a great thing to know that the mission's officers asked no question as to denomination when giving help to the needy. The result was that children were sometimes taken in hand who would otherwise have to be looked after by the State. Some parents did not look after their children as well as they should. He would therefore congratulate the mission on the work it carried out in rescuing such children and teaching them things in connection with their well-being, also putting them on a higher road to success than would otherwise be the case. It was a good sign to see that the Alexandria branch had insufficient accommodation for all the children desirous of becoming connected with the mission. Another pleasing feature was the number of children who preferred Bibles to other books as prizes. He was glad to see the mission was non-sectarian. He believed in sectarianism, but only to a certain extent. Sectarianism could be made an evil if people went into it with a view to benefiting themselves only and to defeat their neighbours. He believed there was good in all churches. He believed in the old saying, "To set the example to those they could with whom their lives were cast, but to live clean, wholesome, and God-fearing lives." If people would only help their neighbours who could not help themselves there would be more good in that than proclaiming their religion from the housetops, and saying they were better than their neighbours. There was a feeling in the mind of every right-thinking person to respect his neighbour's opinion as he would like his own opinion respected. Heroic deeds done in cases of shipwreck and in other perilous positions were no better than the noble work carried on by the members of the Sydney City Mission. He would say in full earnestness that he was present that night to show his sympathy in the work carried on in the various districts by the Sydney City Mission. He was sure that all the children present would remember that meeting on account of the visit paid by Lady Rawson. It would, he thought, be a red letter day in their lives. He would not conclude, however, without mentioning the interest that had always been taken in the welfare of the mission by Messrs. G. Anderson and J. R. Dacey, Ms.L.A. As the Premier took his seat the children accorded him hearty cheers.

Lady Rawson then presented the prizes, comprising over 100 nicely bound books, to the successful scholars of the year.

The musical programme was then continued, and at the close of the gathering a vote of thanks was accorded Lady Rawson for her presence, and a similar vote, on the motion of Messrs. Anderson and Dacey, Ms.L.A., was given to Sir John See, who responded for Lady Rawson and himself.

# RIFLE SHOOTING.

MOLONG, Tuesday.

Following are the results of the first day's shooting in connection with the Molong Mounted Rifles Rifle Club:—

Trooper H. Woolbank, 57; Trooper T. Ball and Trooper S. Ball, 53; Farrier-sergeant Cady, 51; Sergeant-major Ball, 49; Trooper Bert. Millgate, 42; Trooper W. Wilson, 35. Lieutenant-Colonel Smith has made a donation of £28 towards the club funds, also £9, being a bonus of £1 each for members who shot in the recent match against Forbes.

TAMWORTH, Tuesday.

The usual November meeting promoted by the local rifle clubs will not be held this year, owing to the authorities refusing to grant free railway passes to intending competitors. A small meeting for Tamworth shooters will probably take its place.

# SYDNEY DIOCESAN FESTIVAL.

CLAIMS OF THE CHURCH SOCIETY.

A FORWARD MOVEMENT URGED.

The diocesan festival in connection with the Church Society (Home Mission Fund) was celebrated in the Town Hall last night. Tea was served in the basement of the hall shortly before 6 o'clock, and the ladies presiding at the tables were, among others, Miss Rawson and Miss Snowdon Smith. The tables were twice filled, about 2500 people in all sitting down, and 57 parishes contributed to them.

At 6.30 Mr. J. Massey gave an organ recital in the large hall, the programme comprising eight numbers.

In the evening his Excellency the Governor (Sir H. H. Rawson) presided over the public meeting in the Town Hall. He was received at the entrance to the hall by the Archbishop of Sydney, the Bishops of Newcastle and Goulburn, Archdeacons Langley and Gunther, Acting Chief Justice Stephen, Mr. Justice A. H. Simpson, and a large number of the clergy and laity. He was conducted to the platform, the National Anthem being played meanwhile. A combined choir, which was stationed on the dais, also sang the first verse of the anthem. Among those on the platform, in addition to the clergy named as receiving his Excellency, were Canon Boyce, Canon Vaughan, Revs. Dr. Manning, H. Wallace Mort, C. C. Dunstan, Yarrington, Johnston, Ross, and other clergy; Senator Gould, Messrs. H. C. Russell, Weigall, W. R. Beaver, J. Barre Johnston, W. Russell, C. O. Burge, E. C. V. Broughton, M.L.A., and about 50 others, as well as the Rev. Luke Parr, organising secretary of the society. The floor of the hall and the galleries were well filled.

The meeting opened by the singing of the hymn "Praise the Rock of Our Salvation," after which prayer was offered by the Ven. Archdeacon Langley, clerical secretary, who also read an abstract of the report which was presented at the annual meeting held in the Y.M.C.A. Hall a few weeks ago.

Apologies were received for non-attendance from Sir Edmund Barton, Mr. W. R. Campbell, M.L.C., and several others.

The choir sang the anthem "Hail, Gladdening Light," and his Excellency called upon the Primate to move the first resolution.

The Primate moved—"That in view of the urgent need both for the maintenance and for the extension of church ministrations throughout the diocese, wider and more generous support should be given to the 'Free Fund' of the Church Society." He said it was a gladdening sight to see such a large meeting as that one on the occasion of the diocesan festival, and it was also a gladdening sight for the meeting to have the Governor in the chair. (Applause.) He was also much obliged to his brothers of Newcastle and Goulburn for coming to help him on this occasion, and as the Bishop of Goulburn would second the motion, and a distinguished layman, Brigadier-General Finn, would support it, he felt that there was not much for him to say. Therefore he thought he should content himself with giving a short answer to the question: What was the object of the diocesan festival? That festival had been held on several occasions, and had always been well attended. It was viewed by some in its present form with favour, by others with doubtfulness, and by, he supposed, a few with disfavour. But that only referred to the method of the festival. They all, he was quite sure, were at one in the desire that such a festival as this should encourage and properly develop the work of the church through the Church Society. The festival was intended to remind, unite, and to inspire. It was not on this occasion that they gave detailed information. They had had their annual meeting, when the report was formally moved and adopted. Many were ignorant of the aims of the society. The society was also to remind them of their duty, to unite them in fellowship and helpful work, to inspire them with fresh resolve to maintain and extend church ministrations. Surely if they were earnest churchmen and churchwomen they would be glad to be reminded of their duty, their opportunities, and their privileges—all of which they had in this organisation. They would be glad that by means of this festival they were united in fellowship and helpful work, which went beyond the work of each parish, and enabled them to bear one another's burdens throughout the diocese. The object of the festival was to inspire them with fresh resolve. There were two resolutions on the programme—one had reference to the general work of the society in regard to its free fund, and the other indicated a very important new departure, which it was hoped would be taken in connection with the fund, to be connected with the Church Society, and which he hoped would touch a fresh vein of sympathy and help. These two resolutions, taken together, reminded them of the two words in the first resolution—maintenance and extension. They desired to keep up the old and not to shrink from the new departure. The census had indicated an increase in the population of the State, and they were gratified with the increase shown in the adherents of the Church of England, but they would be very foolish if they merely accepted the increase. What was wanted was a feeling of increased responsibility and the knowledge that the contributions must increase if they wanted to help forward the ministrations of the church, because so far as they helped forward the ministrations of the Church of England they helped forward the dignity and purity of their national life. (Applause.)

The Bishop of Goulburn seconded the motion. He said that such a large attendance was inspiriting, because it showed that the people were present to show their real interest in the work which the Church Society had to do. He wanted to echo one of the remarks of the Primate by saying how it rejoiced the visiting Bishops to see at the head of the great gathering no less a personage than his Excellency the Governor. (Applause.) Such a gathering as that was one of the best answers to the pessimism which told them that the Diocese of Sydney was going to the bad. It was well, however, not to take too much for granted. The Church Society was doing a good work, but it desired to do better. Its needs should be brought home to the parishioners of the church and their help obtained. Sydney a few years ago yielded to the wooers—she gave up her freedom, and took it for granted that she was to be provided with a federal home. (Laughter.) What had been the result? He was not quite sure whether she might not yet be organising a breach of promise case, if not, indeed, a suit in the divorce court. (Hear, hear, and laughter.) This was because she took it for granted. So far as the claims of the Church Society were concerned they were not going to take anything for granted. It had been the fault of the church in Australia that she had taken too much for granted. Was it not true that very much of the apathy, very much of the lethargy, had grown up because the people were not sufficiently reminded of their grand heritage as members of the Church of England (Hear, hear.)

Brigadier-General Finn, in supporting the motion, said he felt that the claims of the free fund must appeal to all those who gave it any degree of thought. It called for a great increase in their interest, and a very practical way of showing it was to contribute monetary assistance, thereby enabling the managing committee to extend its enabling the managing committee to extend its help district where, from one reason or another—sparseness of population or other causes—people were not able to help themselves. (Applause.)

The motion was put to the meeting and carried unanimously, after which the choir sang the anthem "Rejoice in the Lord."

His Excellency said he would not detain the meeting with many remarks, but he could not help expressing his pleasure at being present and seeing such a large gathering. It showed the interest that was taken in this Home Mission cause. With regard to home mission work in Sydney, he looked upon it that it was of great importance to have home mission work amongst ourselves, when we looked upon the fact that there were places at home where the people did not enter the church. The meeting had been appealed to that night to support the movement, and he would only add a few words to the appeals which had been made. They could look round them, and see that there were perhaps 3000 people present. If every one of them would, on going out that night, make up his or her mind to get four other people to give 3d per week to the fund, it would make a total of £3000 a year. (Applause.) He appealed to all to take a practical interest in the work of the society.

The Bishop of Newcastle moved the second resolution—"That the newly organised effort in connection with the Church Society, called the Twentieth Century Church Extension Fund, to secure further grants in aid for supplying curates, other living agents, and mission halls in poor and populous parishes, demands special attention, and practical support." He said that in the mouths of two or three witnesses the truth should be established, and he was present that night to testify with the Primate and his brother Bishop to the fact that the Church Society, liberally supported and vigorously administered, was a very helpful society to the body to which it belonged. It was something like the catchment area of Sydney, upon which he was happy to be able to congratulate them that there was a yield of 119,000,000 gallons of water for their reservoir. He well remembered the advice of good Bishop Barker when he first started him (the speaker) as a young bishop. He advised him to institute in his diocese the Church Society. There were two aspects in which the Church Society was of assistance. One was the aid which it gave to parochial work. It was a sort of power-house—a sort of Ultimo—(laughter)—which assisted parishes when disaster fell upon them. It came in to relieve. That was its practical side. There was also the idealistic side, and that was that the society had to do what was aggressive in its truest and best sense—it had to think out new methods, throw out new purposes, start on new lines, and to act in conjunction with the parochial system. What they wanted was to extend the knowledge of the Lord Jesus Christ, to bring it home to every one of their church members, to make that knowledge a blessing upon their efforts, and a reality felt and experienced. They wanted the clear pure water of the river of life flowing down from the throne of God, they wanted the church organisation to bring it to the people in all its purity, in all its clearness, so that they might drink of it. (Applause.)

The Rev. Canon Boyce seconded the motion, and said that there were parishes in the city of Sydney where in past times the masses and the classes worshipped together, but the classes had now moved to the suburbs, and the masses only were left. There was a mission zone in the city of Sydney which they wanted to work. There were parishes where the stipend of the ministers was not sufficient to enable them to obtain help to carry on the work. This zone was thickly populated with the poor people. In it they wanted to place eight curates, four deaconesses, and two officers of the church army, and to erect mission halls. In that zone there was the poverty of the city, it was the zone of the child life—where the waifs and strays lived; it was the zone where the fallen women lived, and where many of the criminal classes resided. To carry out the work which was needed there there should be an outlay of £3000.

The motion was unanimously carried.

On the motion of Mr. Weigall, seconded by Mr. J. Barre Johnston, a vote of thanks to his Excellency for presiding, and to the visiting Bishops for their attendance, was passed, and on the motion of Senator Gould, seconded by the Archbishop, a similar vote to the choir, the organist, and the ladies who had presided at the tables was carried. The votes were duly acknowledged. The festival then terminated.

# TRAM CONDUCTORS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Permit me to say "ditto" to every word in "M.'s" letter in the "Herald" about trams and conductors. Conductors are paid to take care of the rights of passengers as well as of the rights of the Government, and hence the duty of giving an eye to selfish passengers who take up too much room. There is very much need of more vigilance in that respect on the part of conductors, and of less inattention to the safety of women and elderly people. The steps up to the trams are too steep, and should be altered to make them more easy for women, children, and infirm people, but the greatest danger is that caused by the carelessness of conductors in hurrying on the trams before the weaklier passengers have safely landed on board. The Commissioners ought to take note of this, and so save possible damages in more senses than that of mere cash. I am, &c., W. B. WITHERS.

# COUNTRY NEWS.

FATALITIES AND CASUALTIES.

BROKEN HILL, Tuesday.

Albert Perkins, a miner employed in the Proprietary Mine, sustained a fractured skull this afternoon. He was working in the winze, and sent up some tools. A pick fell out, striking Perkins, who was standing about 30ft. under, on the head.

MOLONG, Tuesday.

A serious shooting accident occurred at Cargo on Saturday. A party of young men went out on a shooting excursion. One man, who was armed with a pea rifle, fired at a bird on the road with the result that his nephew, Henry Read, was wounded by a bullet in the head. It is supposed that the bullet glanced off the road and struck the boy, who was not in sight when the shot was fired. The injured lad was conveyed to the Orange Hospital, where it was found that his skull was fractured and splintered, rendering it necessary to remove portion of the skull.

Another accident with a pea rifle recently occurred at Baaragan to a lad named Maurice Whitmee, who accidentally shot himself in one leg, the bullet penetrating the boot and stocking.

TAMWORTH, Tuesday.

A young man named George Adams was assisting to unload logs at Reid's sawmills, when a log got out of position and swung round, coming into contact with Adams's head. He was rendered unconscious, and the services of a medical man had to be obtained.

WOOLGOOLGA, Tuesday.

Mailcoach Driver Watt found dead on the road an elderly man. The body has not been identified yet. There were also two horses, a chestnut and a bay, besides a buggy, which was smashed. Senior-constable Buckland has gone out to investigate the matter.

YASS, Tuesday.

Mr. Leslie Barber, owner of Humewood station, met with a sad and fatal accident on Monday evening. He was following wild horses on the Otterbourne run, and was thrown against a tree, receiving a severe concussion of the brain. He was brought to town, but never regained consciousness, and died last night. Mr. Barber was well known in these districts. He was the eldest son of the late Mr. Alfred Barber, and was closely related to Hamilton Hume, the explorer. He was a member of the local Masonic Lodge, and will be accorded a Masonic funeral to-morrow. Mr. Barber had been only married a few months to a niece of the late Hon. John Lucas, M.L.C.

FIRES.

BLAYNEY, Tuesday.

At the courthouse to-day an inquiry took place before Mr. James Lithgow Cobb, Coroner, into the cause of the fire which occurred in some business premises last Friday night. The jury returned an open verdict, there being no evidence to show the origin of the fire.

ORANGE, Tuesday.

A fire occurred on Saturday evening in the stables at Dean's Farm, Tremearne, near Lucknow. One horse was destroyed, another was severely burned, and a quantity of tools, &c., was lost.

ABOLITION OF A CUSTOMS STATION.

DENILIQUIN, Tuesday.

Mr. V. S. Wilson, sub-collector of Customs, received telegraphic instructions to-day from the Customs Department at Sydney to close the local station. Mr. Wilson will be transferred to Newcastle.

PROGRESS ASSOCIATIONS.

HELENSBURGH, Tuesday.

The Helensburgh Progress Association entertained Mr. George Rickett, one of their members, at a smoke concert last night. He has just returned from a trip to the old country, after witnessing the Coronation celebrations.

A resolution was passed requesting the Lands Department to sell all available blocks of land in the subdivision of the township of Helensburgh West.

WINDSOR, Tuesday.

At a meeting of the progress association held last night all the former officers were re-elected, and a motion was carried to try to have the Quarter Sessions reinstated in Windsor.

RAILWAY MATTERS.

WALGETT, Tuesday.

Satisfaction is expressed here at the good progress that is now being made with the Narrabri-Walgett railway. A clearing gang of 25 men is within 18 miles of the town. It is expected that the earthworks will be completed to the terminus by Christmas next, as operations have already reached the Cryon boundary, 38 miles distant. The department is testing the water from the various artesian bores in the district with a view to ascertaining whether it is suitable for the engines or not.

AGRICULTURAL AND PASTORAL.

COOMA, Tuesday.

The receivers of scalps for the stock district of Cooma have been dispensed with. In future scalps must be forwarded to Cooma stock office with a certificate attached.

COROWA, Tuesday.

During Wednesday and Thursday last severe frosts were responsible for some heavy losses to vineyards in the Wahgunyah district, those on this side not being touched.

Indignation is expressed by vinegrowers at the action of the Ministry in connection with legislation to put down the adulteration of wines. The growers have persistently agitated for this measure.

Notwithstanding the drought the vines in this district are looking extremely well, and given good soaking rains after the fruit is formed the yield should be a good one.

FORBES, Tuesday.

In connection with the New South Wales Conservation League, tranches have been formed at Trundle, Finley, Albury, and Gundagai.

PEAK HILL, Tuesday.

Herbage is fast disappearing before the plague of grasshoppers and the hot days. The wheat crops are a failure. A few farmers may get a little hay. Sheep are being turned on to some crops. Water supplies are short. The loss of sheep in this district is estimated at 55 per cent.

QUEANBEYAN, Tuesday.

The first consignment of 10,000 starving sheep from Whitton has arrived at Bungendore en route to Ballallaba for grass. 15,000 are to follow.

A number of applications have been made for large areas in the bed of Lake George for pastoral purposes. The applications will be considered by the local land board, which sits to-morrow.

A heavy frost has done great damage to the gardens, cutting potatoes and fruit crops down.

SOUTH COAST.

PAMBULA, Tuesday.

At the inquest into the cause of the fire at Pericoe, which destroyed Mr. James Albert Love's residence, the jury returned an open verdict. Mr. Love estimates his loss at £300, including £35 in notes burned.

The first local monthly sale of stock was very successful, good prices being realised.

BOMBALA, Tuesday.

An evening of pictures, songs, and stories took place last evening at the Methodist Church. There was a large attendance. The Rev. C. G. Walton presided.

Mr. W. R. Newton, an old resident of this district, has been appointed acting inspector of C. P. and Crown lands in the southern district.

# SHIPPING REPORTS.

(Continued from page 6.)

Custom-house.—Entered outwards: Oct. 21, Wakatipu, s., for Launceston, via Eden; Ventura, R.M.S., for San Francisco, via ports; Albany, s., for Ocean Island; Sydney, s., for Fremantle, via ports; Sapphire, s., for Ocean Island; Bossuet, barque, for Falmouth.

The steamer Kent was yesterday removed from Pyrmont Wharf to the P. and O. buoy.

The steamship Voisge was yesterday chartered by Messrs. W. Scott, Fell, and Co. to load coal at Newcastle and Sydney for eastern ports. She is due at Newcastle on the 25th instant from Fiji.

The steamer Sappone, which arrived from Melbourne yesterday, anchored in Mosman's Bay.

The steamer Titus, from the New Hebrides, passed Seal Rocks at 5.20 p.m. yesterday, and should reach Sydney at daylight. Captain Todd, master of the wrecked steamer Mambare, is a passenger.

After a prolonged passage of 39 days from Melbourne, the Italian barque Fratelli Beverino reached Sydney yesterday. She encountered the heavy gales which have recently been raging off the coast, and was carried for a considerable distance off the land. The Fratelli Beverino anchored below Garden Island.

The new American schooner Eldorado, timber laden, from Astoria, arrived last night after a passage of 88 days, and anchored in Watson's Bay. After passing Lord Howe Island on the 8th instant heavy S. and S.W. gales were met with high seas and violent thunderstorms. Captain Smith reports that Sydney Heads were sighted 10 days ago, but a strong southerly gale was encountered and carried the ship 280 miles off the land. After discharging her cargo of lumber she will load coal at Newcastle for Honolulu.

PASSENGERS BY THE KUMANO MARU.

The Japanese mail steamer Kumano Maru will arrive this morning from Japan, via the usual ports of call. The following is a list of her passengers:—For Sydney: Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Griffiths, Mrs. Fisher, Mr. H. E. Good, Dr. O. St bel, Mr. Jacoby, Mr. Pinnock, Captain Reed, Mr. S. Cowling, Miss Bates, Mr. Bartholomew, Mr. Rorde, Mr. J. F. Dwyer, Mr. and Miss Hunter, Mr. and Miss Hunter, Mr. Teen, jun., Mr. Thomas M'Horay, Mr. T. Nakamura, Mr. T. Matsuo, Mr. J. Shirass, Mr. J. Shomura, Mr. D. Ozawa, Mr. F. R. Jolly, and 3 Chinese in steerage. For Melbourne: Hon. J. J. Casey, Mrs. William Smith, Miss A. Smith, Miss L. Smith, Miss Scott, Miss Fox Strangways, Mr. Newton, Mr. J. M. Smith, Mr. S. May, and 10 Chinese in the steerage.

NEW CALEDONIA SHIPPING.

The German steamship Kronberg left Gomen on Oct. 8 for New York with the largest shipment of mineral ever sent from New Caledonia. Her cargo included 2766 tons of nickel ore and 2000 tons of chrome ore. On Oct. 10 the steamer Birkagate left Noumea on Oct. 16 for Fiji.

The steamer St. Louis arrived at Noumea on the 10th instant after a rough passage from Sydney.

The French ship La Fontaine sailed from Noumea on the 8th instant for Kaala.

SOUTH AFRICAN PERMITS.

Messrs. Dalgety and Co., Limited, agents for the Aberdeen and White Star liners, intimate in our business columns to-day that passengers booking for South Africa are no longer called upon by them to produce permits. This change is in accordance with cabled instructions from the owners.

MOVEMENTS OF MAIL STEAMERS.

The R.M.S. Victoria (Orient Pacific line) reached Adelaide late last night.

The J.M.S. Kumano Maru, from Japan, will reach Sydney this morning.

The R.M.S. Himalaya, from Australia, reached Plymouth on Saturday last.

The G.M.S. Darmstadt, bound from Sydney to Bremen, arrived at Colombo on Monday.

# MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

Tuesday Evening.

A continued absence of animation was the prevailing feature of the Stock and Share market to-day, and quotations remained almost the same as yesterday. New South Wales 3½ per cent. Funded Stock maturing in 1912 was offered at 99½. Bank of New South Wales were again sold at 40¼, and offered at the same figure. Commercial of Australia preferential procurable at 88s. Bank deposits and steam and insurance shares remained as last quoted. Australian Gaslight advanced ½, selling at 17, and Maitland Gas were in request at 6½. Tooth's Brewery were noticed at 31s. In the miscellaneous list, Mort's Dock preferential were inquired for at 16s, and Silverton Tram eased a trifle, having a seller at 49s 6d.

The following sales were reported on the Sydney Stock Exchange to-day:—Forenoon: Newcastle and Hunter River Steam, 17s 6d; Australian Gaslight, 16¾; Colonial Sugar, 38. Noon: Tooth's Brewery, 31s. Afternoon: Australian Gaslight, 17. Later: Bank of New South Wales, 40¼. The closing quotations were:—

| Company. | Capital paid up. | Amount of Shares. | Shares paid up. | Last Div. per annum. | Prices. Last Sale. | Buyer. | Seller. | *Yield to Investor. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | £ | £ | £ | p.c. | | | | p.c. |
| F. STOCK &c. | | | | | | | | |
| N.S.W. F. S., 1892 | 549,350 | ... | ... | 4 | 105 | 104½ | ... | 3¾ |
| Do. Act, 1873 | 530,180 | ... | ... | 4 | 105½ | 104¾ | ... | 3¾ |
| Do., 1912 | ... | ... | ... | 3 | 93 | ... | 92 | 3¾ |
| Do., 1912 | ... | ... | ... | 3½ | 99½ | 98¾ | 99½ | 3¾ |
| Do. deb., 1906 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 102 | 104 | ... |
| Do., F.S., 1924 | ... | ... | ... | 3 | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Do., T. Bills, 1905 | 1,000,000 | ... | ... | 3½ | 99½ | 99 | ... | 3¾ |
| Do., T. Bills, 1906 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 100 | ... | ... | ... |
| Queensl'nd T. Bills | ... | ... | ... | 4 | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Do. Deb. 1902 | 200,300 | ... | ... | 5 | 100½ | ... | ... | ... |
| Q.D., 1915 | ... | ... | ... | 4 | 101 | 101 | ... | 3¾ |
| Q.D., 1925 | ... | ... | ... | 3½ | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| N.Z. D., 1919 | 300,000 | ... | ... | 4 | 103 | ... | ... | 3¾ |
| Ditto, 1914 | ... | ... | ... | 4 | 102 | ... | ... | 3¾ |
| Col. Sugar—D., 1914— | ... | ... | ... | 5 | 111 | 107½ | ... | ... |
| City of Sydney deb. | ... | ... | ... | 4 | 102½ | 101 | 103 | 3¾ |
| BANKS. | | | | | | | | |
| Aust. J.S. | 1,168,041 | 10 | 7½ | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Australasia | 1,600,000 | 40 | 40 | 11 | ... | 80 | ... | ... |
| City | 240,000 | 10 | 8 | 4 | 80/ | ... | 81/ | 8 |
| New Issue | 160,000 | 10 | 8 | 4 | 77/ | ... | 80/ | 8½ |
| Commercial of Australia | 94,400 | 10 | 10/ | ... | 5/4 | 4/ | 4 9 | ... |
| Ditto pref. | 2,117,070 | 10 | 10 | 3 | 96/ | 84/ | 88/ | 6¾ |
| Commerc. of Sydney | 1,000,000 | 25 | 12½ | 10 | 26¾ | 26¾ | 26¾ | 4¾ |
| N. of Aus. | 1,192,440 | 8 | 5 | 3¼ | 56 3 | ... | ... | 6¾ |
| Ditto, pref. | 305,780 | 10 | 10 | 5 | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| N. S. Wales | 2,000,000 | 20 | 20 | 10 | 40¼ | 40¼ | 40¼ | 5 |
| New Zealand | 427,319 | 6¾ | 3¼ | 5 | 65/ | 63/ | 66/ | 5¼ |
| N. Q'nsland | 100,000 | 7 | 2 | 2½ | 13/ | 12 6 | 14 6 | 7¾ |
| Royal of Q. | 451,307 | 9 | 6½ | 3 | 58/ | ... | ... | ... |
| Union | 1,500,000 | 75 | 25 | 8 | 39 | 37½ | 38½ | 5¼ |
| DEPOSITS. | | | | | | | | |
| A.J.S. Bk.—Class A | ... | ... | ... | 3 | 12/10 | 12 7½ | 15/ | 4¾ |
| Class D | ... | ... | ... | 3 | 12 2 | 12/ | 12/3 | 5 |
| Ditto Insc. | 786,033 | ... | ... | 3½ | 8 6 | 8/6 | ... | 8½ |
| Com. of Aus., A ser., 1898 | 965,492 | ... | ... | 3½ | 19/3 | 18 3 | ... | 3½ |
| Ditto assets | 3,400,000 | ... | ... | 3 | 13/3 | 13/ | 13/6 | 4¾ |
| E.S.A. Insc. pref. | 890,418 | ... | ... | 3 | 11/9 | 11 6 | 12 3 | 5¼ |
| Ditto def. | 878,908 | ... | ... | 4½ | 16 9 | 16 3 | ... | 5¾ |
| Ditto Deb. | 960,547 | ... | ... | 4 | 17/3 | 16 9 | 17 9 | 4¾ |
| Ditto Per. | 97,690 | ... | ... | 4 | 20/ | 19 9 | 20 3 | 4 |
| Q. National | ... | ... | ... | 3½ | 11 6 | ... | 11 3 | 6 |
| STEAM. | | | | | | | | |
| Balmain N. Ferry | 16,420 | 1 | 1 | 10 | 33/6 | ... | 33 6 | 6 |
| Illawarra | 56,000 | 5 | 3½ | 8½ | 5 | 5 | 5½ | 6 |
| Newcastle | 100,000 | 1 | 1 | 6 | 17/6 | 17 6 | 18/ | 6¾ |
| N'th Coast | 131,250 | 1 | 17/6 | 8 | 23/ | 23 6 | 24 6 | 5¾ |
| Syd. Ferries | 120,000 | 1 | 1 | 7 | 33/ | 32/6 | ... | 4¾ |
| Ditto, new | ... | ... | 1 | ... | 32/6 | 32/ | ... | ... |
| P. Jackson | 23,000 | 50 | 25/ | 5 | 21/ | ... | ... | ... |
| Ditto, Co-op. | 8,745 | ... | 1 | 2½ | 17/ | ... | ... | ... |
| How. Smith ordinary | ... | ... | 20/ | 10 | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Ditto ord. | ... | ... | 5/ | 10 | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Ditto Pref. | ... | ... | 20/ | 5 | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Ditto Pref. | ... | ... | 5/ | 5 | ... | ... | 4 9 | ... |
| INSURANCE. | | | | | | | | |
| A. M. Fire | 50,000 | 1 | 10/ | 16⅔ | 32 6 | ... | ... | ... |
| Mer. Mutual | 50,000 | 1 | 4/ | 18 | 12 6 | 12/6 | ... | 5¾ |
| N. Zealand | 200,000 | 10 | 2 | 12½ | 76/ | ... | ... | 7 |
| N. Q'land | 50,000 | 1 | 10/ | 8 | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Ditto | 7,500 | 1 | 5 | 8 | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| United | 62,500 | 10 | 2½ | 10 | 72/ | 72 6 | 76/ | 7 |
| Ditto new | 5,725 | 10 | 12 6 | 10 | 17/ | 17/3 | ... | 7¼ |
| GAS. | | | | | | | | |
| Albury | 7,500 | 1 | 12 6 | 10 | 19/ | ... | ... | ... |
| Australian | 681,709 | 6 | 6 | ... | 17 | 16/18/9 | 17 | 5¾ |
| C. Towers | 20,000 | 10 | 10/ | 1 | 14/9 | 15/ | ... | ... |
| Bathurst | 10,000 | 1 | 1 | 15 | 50/ | 49/ | ... | 6 |
| Balmain | 8,000 | 1 | 1 | 8 | 26 | 27 | ... | 6 |
| Glebe | 10,000 | 1 | 1 | 7 | 23 6 | 23 6 | ... | 6 |
| Do. New | 5,000 | 1 | 10/ | 7 | 12/0 | ... | 12 9 | ... |
| Maitland | 8,000 | 1 | 1 | 7 | 18/3 | 18/ | ... | 7¾ |
| Newcastle | 25,128 | 2 | 2 | 15 | 5¾ | 5¼ | 6¼ | 5¾ |
| Ditto | ... | ... | 15/ | ... | ... | 75 | 80/ | ... |
| North Shore | 100,000 | 1 | 1 | 7 | 32 6 | 32 6 | ... | 4¾ |
| Ditto New | ... | ... | 10/ | 7 | 18/ | 20/ | ... | ... |
| Maitland Gas | 13,500 | 5 | 5 | ... | ... | 6½ | ... | ... |
| S. Brisbane | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 11/ | ... | ... |
| BREW'RIES. | | | | | | | | |
| Albury | 10,300 | ... | 10/ | 5 | ... | 2 6 | ... | ... |
| Ditto | 4,000 | 1 | 1 | 5 | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Australian | 48,000 | 10/ | 10/ | ... | 4/ | 4/ | 5 6 | ... |
| C. and Wood Bros.' | 250,000 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 12/ | 12 | 12 6 | 7 |
| Marshall's | 27,701 | 10 | 5/ | 6 | 4 1 | 4/ | 4 5 | 7¼ |
| Perkins' | 58,000 | 15 | 15/ | 17½ | 37 6 | 36/ | ... | 7 |
| Tooth's | 900,000 | 1 | 1 | 8 | 31/ | 30 6 | 31/3 | 5¼ |
| Toohey's | 550,000 | 1 | 1 | ... | 21 6 | 21/6 | 22 3 | ... |
| MISCEL'N'S. | | | | | | | | |
| Aerated | 17,500 | 15 | 10/ | 5 | 3 2 | 3/ | 3 6 | ... |
| Aus. News | 40,000 | 1 | 1 | ... | 9 6 | ... | 9/ | ... |
| B. H. Water Supply | 193,500 | 1 | 1 | 10 | 20/2 | ... | ... | ... |
| Burns, Philp | 275,000 | 1 | 1 | 6 | 32 6 | 31/ | 35/ | 5 |
| New Issue | ... | 1 | 5/ | 6 | 8/3 | 7/ | ... | 5 |
| Col. Sugar | 1,822,000 | 20 | 20 | 10 | 38 | 37½ | 38 | 5¼ |
| Dalgety & Co. | 1,000,000 | 20 | 5 | 8 | 90 6 | 90/ | 95/ | 8¾ |
| Dunlop P. Tyre | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 14/ | 18/ | ... |
| Emu B. Rail. | 100,000 | 1 | 1 | ... | 3 6 | ... | 2 3 | ... |
| Emu Gen'ral | 94,000 | 1 | 1 | 5 | 8/ | 7 6 | 8 6 | 12½ |
| Federal Coffee | 12,375 | 20 | 20/ | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Do. Pref., city | 8,125 | 20 | 10 | 7½ | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Holt Com... | 21,000 | 1 | 13 | 4 | 13/ | 12/ | 14/ | ... |
| Mel. Trams | 60,000 | 1 | 10/ | ... | 17 3 | ... | ... | ... |
| M. de Pietà | 74,141 | 1 | 1 | 8 | 31/ | 31/ | ... | 5¼ |
| Mort's Dk. | 150,000 | 1 | 1 | ... | 17/ | ... | ... | ... |
| Ditto Pref. | 45,301 | 1 | 1 | ... | 20 | 16/ | 19/ | 6 |
| F. Food, Ice | 163,114 | 1 | 18/ | ... | 7/ | 6 6 | 7 3 | ... |
| Wade and Od. | 25,000 | 1 | 15 | ... | 1d | ... | 2d | ... |
| New York and E. Tob. | 15,000 | 1 | 1 | 10 | 22 6 | ... | 23/ | 8¾ |
| Fm. Trust and | 20,000 | 5 | 2/6 | 6 | 2 1 | 1 11½ | 2 1 | 7¼ |
| Perp. Trus. | 22,000 | 10 | 5 | 8 | 8 6 | 8 3 | 8 7½ | 4¾ |
| Richardson & Wrench | 60,000 | 1 | 1 | 5 | 13/ | 12 7 | 13 | 7¼ |
| Silv. Tram | 197,800 | 1 | 1 | ... | 50/ | 47/ | 49 6 | ... |
| Syd. Hach. | 30,000 | 16 | 10 | 6 | 12 12 | 12 | ... | 4¾ |
| Syd. Hyd. | 75,000 | 1 | 1 | 10 | 35 6 | ... | 35 6 | 5¼ |
| Ditto | 37,300 | 1 | 10/ | 10 | 18 3 | ... | 18 6 | 5¼ |
| Vd. Land Ord. | ... | ... | ... | ... | 160 | ... | 165 | ... |
| LAND & BD. | | | | | | | | |
| J. Mut. Dep. | ... | ... | ... | ... | 43 | ... | ... | ... |
| Excels. Dep. | ... | ... | ... | ... | 7 3 | ... | ... | ... |
| Fed. B. Dep. | ... | ... | ... | ... | 14/ | ... | ... | ... |
| Haymark. D. | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Do. Shares | ... | ... | ... | 5 | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Ind. Prov. | 61,000 | 20 | 20 | 6 | ... | 20 | ... | 5¾ |
| Intern. Inv. | 33,950 | 1 | 15/ | 7 | 14 6 | ... | 14 6 | 7¼ |
| Sy. Fre Land | ... | ... | ... | ... | 3 9 | ... | ... | ... |
| Fed. & S. Dep. | ... | ... | ... | ... | 8/ | 6/ | 7 6 | ... |
| Holt-Sutherland Estate | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Metropolitan Debentures | ... | ... | ... | ... | 15 3 | ... | ... | ... |
| Wales B'ldg | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |

* Where dividends are interim the yield is based on a year's distribution, otherwise on the last half-year's one.

The amount of the clearances of the Sydney banks for the week ended yesterday was £3,195,647, against £3,110,668 and £2,486,849 in the corresponding weeks of 1901 and 1900 respectively. The total amounts since January 1 in comparison with the amounts for like periods for earlier years were as follows:—

| | |
|---|---|
| January 1 to October 24, 1898 | £99,802,615 |
| January 1 to October 23, 1899 | 108,098,923 |
| January 1 to October 22, 1900 | 114,361,498 |
| January 1 to October 21, 1901 | 129,354,746 |
| January 1 to October 20, 1902 | 142,336,874 |

To date so far since January 1 the clearances exceed those of last year by £12,980,128, or 10 per cent. In Melbourne to October 13 the bank clearances aggregated £130,112,162, showing a decrease of £1,031,193.

The Castlemaine Brewery and Wood Brothers and Co.'s report for the year ended September 30, showed that, inclusive of £1982 brought forward, there was a credit balance of £15,167, from which an interim dividend at the rate of 4 per cent. per annum, absorbing £5000, had been declared, and it is proposed to deal with the balance of £10,167 as follows:—To writing-off freehold properties, £2000; and off machinery and plant, £1000; to paying a dividend for the half-year to September 30, at the rate of 4 per cent. per annum, £5000, leaving to be carried forward £2167.

One of the things which would prejudice the issue of fresh Australian loans, in addition to the disfavour caused by the heaving borrowing of the States, and the extravagant expenditure of the proceeds of the late issues, is the large projected loans by the European Governments. It is known that more than one of them contemplate extensive borrowing. Besides the expected negotiation of a loan of £40,000,000 for the Transvaal Government is one for about the same amount by the French Finance Minister, who, it is firmly believed, will need the money to balance accounts and effect necessary works. Then also a new Russian loan of £40,000,000 was rumoured, to be floated in Paris, Berlin, and Vienna. The report of this has been denied, and the proposal is said to have had the opposition of the French Minister of Finance, on account of the local requirements. The belief in the French loan, however, was pretty general, and the possible withdrawal of money held by French capitalists in London, makes distinctly against the success of Australian issues.

It seems that the movement which sent the price of silver over 24d some time back has not, nor has anything else, been sufficient to keep it up to that figure. To September 4 the value of the silver exported from London was only £4,617,780, against £5,929,948, the value to the corresponding period of last year. The export to India was £4,303,000, against £5,320,000—a decline of over a million. To China the export was only £135,850, against £525,512, while to the Straits it was £178,120, as compared with £81,526. Only to the lastnamed place was there an increase. Of course the decrease of 22 per cent. in value would not be paralleled by a proportionate percentage of decrease in amount, since the average price in the first nine months of this year was about 15 per cent. below that of the like period in 1901. Consequently within about 5 per cent. of as much silver has been received by the East as last year. Or to put it in another way, last year's purchases of silver by the East are worth nearly £1,500,000 less than was paid for them. In so far as the portion of the metal has been coined in India, it is maintained at the artificial value of the previous year by the currency law, though the intrinsic value of the whole is reduced. In China, of course, where no such currency law upholds the value of any part of the import of silver; the metal held from last year is simply worth 15 per cent. less than was paid for it.

Particulars of the heads of an agreement for the acquisition by the Imperial Cold Storage and Supply Company, Limited, of the assets and goodwill of the South African and Australasian Supply and Cold Storage Company, Limited, the South African Supply and Cold Storage Company, Limited, and the Cold Storage Trust, Limited, according to the "Financier," show that the purchase price was fixed at £1,650,000, payable as to £1,150,000 in ordinary shares of the Imperial Company and £500,000 in 5 per cent. debentures of that company. The Imperial Company would increase its capital from £650,000 to £2,000,000, and prior to the completion of the purchase undertook to procure subscriptions for shares to the extent of £100,000 for additional working capital. The board of the new company was to sit in South Africa, but a committee of directors would be appointed in London.

Prior to the departure of the last mail there was some pretty strong criticism of a proposed Turkish loan conversion scheme, in which it seems M. Rouvier had a part as one of a syndicate before he became the French Minister of Finance. The "Economist" remarks of this proposed financial operation what is true in principle of many like proposals: "That by any manipulation of the security at present possessed by the bondholders it will be possible at once to benefit them and set free revenue which the Porte may use as the security for a new loan is not conceivable. What is given to the one must be taken from the other, and no financial legerdemain, though it may conceal, will alter this fundamental fact." When the details of this scheme are before us, doubtless it will be found that profit goes to the syndicates negotiating the operations and not to the parties to it. That is what the "Economist" declares is the case in regard to this conversion, and it censures M. Rouvier as French Minister of Finance for having a part in the syndicate.

It was feared in England at a recent date that there would be a decline in shipbuilding partly as the result of the great activity and plethora of work that had recently crowded the yards of the shipbuilders. The indicated slump in this important industry would of course make up no inconsiderable part of that stagnation in the winter predicted, according to our cable news, by the Board of Trade. The "Shipping News" regards the most potent cause of the trouble as the narrow-mindedness of workmen, who must not work except as their union permits them, and they will not work if any labour-saving machinery comes near them. Strikes and foreign competition also interfered with steady trade, the bounties of the French and other Governments prejudicing the shipbuilders to some extent.

Although on the whole private reports of the American cotton crop this year are more favourable than the Government estimates, there will not be an out of the way large yield such as would be likely to prejudice the wool market in the United States or the world at large. It is said by "Dun's Review" that the quality of the new cotton thus far marketed at New Orleans is above the average.

## BREADSTUFFS.

The local wheat market is about nominal at 5s 1d to 5s 2d, supplies being drawn almost exclusively from inter-state sources. At a meeting of the executive committee of the Flour Millers' Association held to-day it was decided to raise the price of local flour to £11 for leading brands and £10 15s for ordinary. Manitoba is quoted at £12 10s per ton.

The receipts of wheat and flour by rail at Sydney, Clyde, Homebush, Burwood, Ashfield, Petersham, and Newtown during the week ended October 21, compared with those of the previous week and the corresponding week of last year, are as follows:—

| | Wheat. Tons. | Flour. Tons. |
|---|---|---|
| Week ended October 21 | 833 | 221 |
| Previous week | 611 | 289 |
| Last year | 1,172 | 814 |

The receipts of wheat and flour during the first 43 statistical weeks of the last 10 years are as follows:—

| | Wheat. Tons. | Flour. Tons. |
|---|---|---|
| First 43 weeks in 1893 | 13,861 | 15,225 |
| First 43 weeks in 1894 | 11,228 | 15,692 |
| First 43 weeks in 1895 | 15,600 | 16,229 |
| First 43 weeks in 1896 | 15,265 | 6,355 |
| First 43 weeks in 1897 | 24,085 | 8,038 |
| First 43 weeks in 1898 | 60,587 | 20,899 |
| First 43 weeks in 1899 | 52,156 | 13,817 |
| First 43 weeks in 1900 | 110,232 | 21,136 |
| First 43 weeks in 1901 | 218,494 | 34,148 |
| First 43 weeks in 1902 | 127,878 | 25,466 |

The prices ruling to-day for wheat and its products compare with those ruling 12 months ago as follows:—

| | A Year Ago. | To-day. |
|---|---|---|
| Wheat, per bushel | £0 3 9 | £0 5 2 |
| Flour, per ton | 6 10 0 | 10 5 0 |
| Bran, per bushel | 0 0 9 | 0 1 0½ |
| Pollard, per bushel | 0 0 9 | 0 1 7 |

Mr. W. Farrer, the Government wheat experimentalist, writes on the subject of "Federation" wheat:—

I see that the new variety, "Federation," has by mistake been distributed by the department as a strong-flour wheat. This is not the case. It reduces flour which is of little higher strength than is that of Purple Straw which is a typical weak-flour variety. For some reason the flour strength of weak-flour wheats grown last season in this State appears to be about two quarts of water per sack of flour higher than is usually the case; and this represents about 4½lb more of bread. This being the case, the new varieties, "Bobs" and "Jonathan," cannot, as regards flour-strength, be placed in quite the same category as the best of the Fifes and Blue-stems, but come rather about midway between the best Fifes and our old weak-flour varieties. "Scotch Fife" also, according to the examination of it which was made in the laboratory of the department, cannot be regarded as a strong-flour variety, but goes with "Bobs" and "Jonathan." The strong-flour varieties, properly so called, which have been distributed, are "Power's Fife" and "Minnesota Blue-stem." The former produces the stronger flour, it is also the earlier, and is likely to prove the more widely suitable for this State; although even it will probably only be found to do well in the coldest districts, and even there only in good, deep soils. It is, however, quite likely that varieties like "Bobs," "Jonathan," and "Scotch Fife"—the two former especially—will be found to be the best for our wants. I am pointing out the mistake which has been made in the distribution of "Federation" because I think that this new variety has a career of usefulness before it, and because I am quite sure that its career will be more satisfactory if it does not start on it under false colours. "Federation," also, cannot be regarded as a good resister of rust, but in this quality it is at Lambrigg at any rate decidedly before "Purple Straw."

## IMPORT MARKET.

The outgoing mails to-day did not tend to improve business, and transactions were both small in volume and number. The most notable change in prices was a drop in cornsacks owing to pressure to sell in some quarters. Linseed oil was also a shade weaker, being cabled lower from the market of supply. In the metal market there was a tendency to cut prices, but all holders did not join in the movement. This state of affairs has its root in the quietness of the demand.

Tea.—Private transactions were of a restricted character on the basis of late ruling rates.

Messrs. Cyril Trower and Co. report:—"We offered at our sale rooms this morning, under instructions from Messrs. Gerber, Michaut, and Co., a catalogue of Ceylon teas, covering 589 packages. The trade was strongly in evidence, but the volume of business done was disappointing, nearly half the catalogue being passed in. Always generous sellers the vendors were determined to sell if any reasonable bidding was in evidence, but much the same condition of things prevailed as last week, and offers made were no where near cost. The market is sicker than has been the case for many months, and this state of affairs is to us quite unaccountable. We quote selling rates as under:—Fair, common, and good pekoes, 5½d to 8d; fair, common, and good broken pekoes, 6½d to 8d; fine to finest broken orange pekoes, 8½d to 1s 6½d.

Sugar.—Steady business was done at the company's tariff rates. The annual report of the Queensland Department of Agriculture for 1901, just issued, gives some interesting information relative to the sugar industry of the Northern State. It remarks:—

The central mills generally improved their position. The Nerang Central Mill output did not exceed 700 tons for the season, the cane available being insufficient for the full capacity of the mill. The Moreton mill was in a like condition, turning out for 1901 846 tons.

The Isis Mill was most economically managed; its average cost of working was £1 10s 9½d per ton of sugar, less than that of any other mill. The Mount Bauple Mill had a very dry season for 1901, but obtained 13,004 tons of cane, an improvement upon 1900, mainly due to an increase in the areas planted. The Gin Gin Mill felt the effect of the drought to such an extent that it was feared that there would be no crop for the season of 1903. The crop for this year was crushed in less than three weeks. The returns from the Proserpine were steadily increasing, and it was expected that there would be nearly 2000 acres under crop for 1903 season. The results for 1901 were not quite as satisfactory as for 1900. With 2068 tons more cane, 131 tons less sugar were made, and the number of tons of cane required for 1 ton of sugar was increased by 1·8, due to the proportion of frosted cane, and to the sugar contents being lower than in 1900. The Marian and Pleystowe Mills at Mackay did good work, and paid good prices for cane. The Mossman and Mulgrave mills made fairly good profits, were well managed, and should have a prosperous year before them. The financial position of the Central Mills, as concerned the Government, showed as follows:—Amount advanced, £514,600; interest paid during 1901-1902, £14,505; total redemption paid, £23,897; arrears of interest due and unpaid to June 30, 1902, £56,818; redemption due to June 30, 1902, £13,270; total amount of interest and redemption due to June 30, 1902, £70,088.

Groceries.—Fifty-box lots of D.R.J. candles moved off at 6d, and 25 boxes of Armour potted ham 2s 4d. Red Alaska salmon sold at 5s 9d to 6s. Evans Day's oysters at 5s 3d and Kensett's at 5s 6d. Twenty cases of Van Houten's cocoa went at 3s 1d.

Dried Fruits.—Currants were freely booked to arrive at 3¾d to 4d, and sultanas at 6¾d to 7½d, according to grade. Dates sold at 3d. spot and to arrive. 100 boxes of Mildura evaporated apricots and 100 boxes of ditto evaporated peaches changed hands at market rates.

Eastern Produce.—Twenty-five tons of Japan rice changed hands ex Kumano Maru at a price that did not transpire, and three tons were sold at £22 10s per ton. Private advices from Tokio state that there were at mail date gloomy forebodings regarding the probability of a serious shortage in the rice crop. The Bank of Japan calculated the shortage at from 10 to 15 per cent., while other estimates placed it at from 20 per cent. upward. Several foreign firms are said to have contracted for large quantities of rice from Rangoon. The Government reserve for the purpose of purchasing rice abroad in case of famine is 70,000,000 yen, and a 10 per cent. decrease in the crop alone would mean a loss of 60,000,000 yen, a normal crop being valued at 600,000,000 yen.

Metals.—50 cases of Dolphin gavanised and corrugated iron sold at a price withheld, and 12 cases of orb at £18 5s per ton. 10 tons of No. 14 barbed wire were placed at £10 5s, while small parcels of No. 12 went at £14 for Iowa and from £13 10s to £13 15s for German. There was a better demand for black wire at £8 to £8 5s for No. 8, and £8 5s to £8 10s for No. 10. 20 tons of cast iron pipe sold at £9 5s. Tinplates were weak, some holders forcing business at the expense of prices. Cement went off steadily in small lots at 12s to 13s per cask.

Oils.—Kerosene was distributed in seasonable quantities, Snowflake at 8½d, Rising Sun bulk at 6d, tins 7d, and cases 7½d per gallon. Castor oil moved off slowly at 2s 7½d on spot, the latest c.i.f. price cabled fromm Calcutta being 1s 11d. China was quoted locally at 2s 4d. Blundell, Spence and Co.'s oil remained nominally at 4s 1d and 4s 3d for raw and boiled, but lower rates are advised from London for linseed oils generally.

Jute Goods.—Cornsacks are offering at cheap rates compared with costs. 50 bales were taken up to-day at 4s 6d. Branbags had little or no inquiry. Woolpacks sold at 1s 8½d to 1s 9d for 11¼ and 12lb., loose ends respectively. Private cables from Calcutta quote cornsacks at 4s 8d c.i.f. Sydney, branbags at 3s 5d, and woolpacks at 1s 7½d.

Messrs. S. H. Harris and Co. will offer at auction a quantity of hardware and other goods to-morrow (Wednesday).

Return of produce received at Homebush, Burwood, Ashfield, Petersham, Newtown, Sydney, and Clyde per rail for the week ending October 21:—Butter, 104 kegs, 1809 cases; cheese, 145 cases; eggs, 870 cases; bacon, 12 bags, 11 sides; hay, 16 trucks; straw, 1 truck; chaff, 21 trucks; wool, 24,354 bales; sheepskins, 2947 bales; wheat, 833 tons; flour, 221 tons; oats, 37 tons; barley, 37 tons; maize, 2 tons; meal, 10 tons; potatoes, 7 tons; bran, 59 tons; pollard, 29 tons.

The Customs revenue received at Sydney to-day amounted to £9,935. The principal items were:—Stimulants, £2309; narcotics, £412; sugar, £296; agricultural products and groceries, £1808; apparel and textiles, £1129; metals and machinery, £791; oils, paints, and varnishes, £284; earthenware, cement, &c., £123; drugs and chemicals, £88; wood, wicker, and cane, £140; jewellery and fancy goods, £158; leather and rubber, £411; paper and stationery, £170; vehicles, £197; miscellaneous, £209; bonded warehouses, £350; harbour and light dues, £36; pilotage, £43; excise on spirits, £85; excise on tobacco, cigars, and cigarettes, £1003; excise on beer, £171; excise on starch, £18; excise on sugar, £10.

## EXPORT MARKET.

Butter and Cheese Receipts.—The receipts of butter and cheese by rail during the week ended October 14 compare with those of the corresponding week a year back as follow:—

| | 1901. | 1902. |
|---|---|---|
| Butter, kegs | 223 | 104 |
| Butter, boxes | 5,184 | 1,809 |
| Cheese, cases | 256 | 145 |

The receipts of both butter and cheese continue to increase, but not at the same ratio as last year.

The Tin Market.—The price of tin ruling in London at this date, as advised by our cables, compares with that ruling at the corresponding date of the six preceding years as follows:—

| | Spot. Per Ton. | Three Months. Per Ton. |
|---|---|---|
| 1896 | £59¾ | £60½ |
| 1897 | 62½ | 64¼ |
| 1898 | 83½ | 83¾ |
| 1899 | 141¼ | 140 |
| 1900 | 123 | 124 |
| 1901 | 114¼ | 105½ |
| 1902 | 120 | 118½ |

The current rate is thus above the average, though lower than in 1899 and 1900, when extreme rates ruled.

Copper Prices.—The prices of spot and three months' copper, as advised by cable as ruling at this date in London, compare with the prices ruling at the corresponding period of the six preceding years as follows:—

| | Spot. Per ton. | Three Months. Per ton. |
|---|---|---|
| 1896 | £48½ | £48¾ |
| 1897 | 48¾ | 48½ |
| 1898 | 54½ | 54¾ |
| 1899 | 72¾ | 72½ |
| 1900 | 71¼ | 72½ |
| 1901 | 64¼ | 62½ |
| 1902 | 53¼ | 53¾ |

Wool Receipts (Tuesday).—By rail at Darling Harbour 4300 bales, coastwise 213 bales. At Newcastle on Monday last 328 bales were received by rail.

## ENGLISH COMMERCIAL.

LONDON, Oct. 20.

SILVER.

Bar silver is quoted to-day at 23¾d per ounce standard.

EUROPEAN BEET SUGAR.

Herr F. O. Licht, in his monthly circular, estimates that the production of European beet sugar shows a decrease of 166,000 tons compared with last season. He estimates that the campaign yield will be 993,000 tons less than the last.

Oct. 21.

METALS.

Copper on spot is quoted at 53, and at three months 53¾.

Tin on spot is quoted at 122, and at three months 120¾.

## COMMERCIAL TELEGRAMS.

ADELAIDE, Tuesday.

Wheat is again quiet, no business being reported. In consequence of the firmness of flour in other States prices in some quarters were raised to £10. Sales have taken place at £9 15s, but not yet at the new figure. Bran and pollard are very firm at 18d. There is a brisk demand for American kerosene at 8½d.

MELBOURNE, Tuesday.

On the Stock Exchange to-day Metropolitan Board of Works 4 per cent., 1913, sold at £103 5s, and 3½ per cent., £98 2s 6d; Colonial Bank, ordinary shares 20s, and preferential £8 11s; Commercial Bank preferential, 86s; National Bank, ordinary, 52s, and preferential, £10 16s; Royal Bank, 13s 8d; Union Bank, £37 17s 6d; Commercial Bank Deposit Receipts, 18s 6d; Special Assets Trust Company, 13s 3d; Metropolitan Gas, £8 7s, £8 8s; Equity Trustees, 15s 6d; Emu Bay Railway, 1s 9d; Melbourne Tramway, 17s 6d, 17s 8d; Silverton Tramway, 49s 6d; B.H. Water Supply, 17s 10d; Melbourne Hydraulic, 27s; Sydney Hydraulic, 18s 4d.

Wheat is firmer; about 1000 bags sold at 5s 1d. Bran, 1s 6d to 1s 6½d; pollard, 1s 6d. Over 1200 bags of fair to good malting barley sold at 4s 7d to 4s 9½d; thin feed barley, 4s 3d. Algerian oats are very firm at 3s 5d to 3s 7½d. Maize is scarce; small lots fetch 5s 7½d to 5s 8d. Oaten chaff is £6 to £6 5s; prime wheaten, £6 10s to £6 12s 6d; straw chaff, £3 to £3 7s 6d. Prime red soil potatoes are £5 17s 6d; some sellers are asking £6. Onions are very dull £2 to £4. A fair business was done at the tea auction, though common grades were quiet. 619 packages were offered, and 459 packages were sold at 4½d to 1s. 100 cases of cod sold at 5d; ling, 5½d to 5¾d; 19 cases of figs sold at 7s; 2 tanks of canary seed sold at £18 10s; 20 kegs tartaric acid crystals at 1s 1d; 20 kegs of citric acid at 1s 2d; cornsacks are quiet at 4s 7d to 4s 8d; branbags are 3s 7d; woolpacks are 2s. A moderate business was done in wire netting and tin plates.

## DAIRYING INDUSTRY.

BATHURST, Tuesday.

At a meeting of the directors of the Bathurst Co-operative Dairy Company to-day the manager reported that during the past week he had received 3677lb. of cream, and had manufactured 1663lb. of butter, which showed an increase of 300lb. of butter compared with last week.

## PRODUCE MARKETS.—Tuesday.

TRADE IN SUSSEX-STREET.

The markets were uniformly quiet in all departments of general produce to-day. Business continued steady, buyers in the majority of instances being content to operate on the immediate requirement basis. Supplies available were ample for all requirements. Apart from a decline in onions no changes of note in values transpired. The inquiry for maize continued steady, prices quoted being easier and somewhat irregular. Oats moved off moderately well, the market having a good tone on the strength of the light stocks on the spot. The market was practically bare of peas, the few odd lots available going at fancy rates. Chickwheat had a little attention, as did barley, at late values. Both bran and pollard were scarce, and in good demand at slightly higher prices. A fair turnover was noted in all descriptions of chaff, prices being firm as the result of the somewhat lighter stocks now on the spot. Prime green chaff continued scarce and dear. A trifle over 200 bales of lucerne hay arrived from the Hunter River this morning. The demand for this article was fairly good at about yesterday's closing rates. Straw was plentiful and cheap, while oaten hay was scarce and dear. The market for potatoes was heavily supplied, the bulk of the offerings being of a medium and inferior variety. Choice tubers, which were scarce, had good sale at firm values, while other sorts were dull of sale at low and irregular rates. Onions were again cheaper, sales being particularly slow. American samples were offering freely at reduced values. A moderate amount of business was done in most lines of dairy produce. Eggs were in good demand at slightly better rates for Southern and new-laid varieties. Butter was plentiful and steady, while cheese had a tendency to be easier. Bacon remained firm at late rates.

Wholesale quotations were:—

DAIRY PRODUCE.

Bacon and Hams.—Hand-cured, choice 1s, flitches, 11½d; middles, 1s 1d; York Castle mild cured brands, sides 1s, flitches, 11½d, middles 1s 1d; Pineapple middles, 1s 1d; Clarenzo sides, 1s; "A" in circle, sides 11d; Eclipse middles, 11½d; Bodalla, sides 1s, flitches 1s, and middles 1s 1d; Eclipse sides, 1s, middles 1s 1d; Hicks' sides 1s, flitches 11½d. Hams: Local hams, in cloth, 1s to 1s 1d; New Zealand, 1s; Pineapple, 1s 1d; York Castle, 1s 1d; Eclipse, 1s 1d; Bodalla, 1s 1d lb.

Butter.—Good supply. Steady sale. Pasteurised, 11½d, prime 11d, good 10½d, inferior 10d lb.

Eggs.—Market firm. Local: Northern eggs 10d, South 10½d; suburban new-laid hen eggs, 11d to 1s; duck eggs, 1s to 1s 0½d doz.

Cheese.—Fair supply. Market Quiet. Loaf, choice to 9½d, medium 9d to 9¼d, large 9½d, medium 8½d to 9d; Bodalla, 9½d; Kameruka, 9½d lb.

POULTRY.

Brisk sale. Small supplies. River poultry: Fowls, inferior 3s 3d, good 3s 6d, prime 3s 9d to 4s; roosters, ordinary 4s 3d to 4s 9d, choice heavy 5s to 5s 6d; English river ducks, scarce, 4s 6d to 5s, inferior 4s to 4s 6d; Muscovy ducks, river, 4s, drakes 4s 6d to 5s; geese, 6s 6d to 7s; turkeys, gobblers to 11s, good 14s, prime to 18s 6d, extra choice to 22s; hens, 7s to 7s 6d; guinea fowls, 4s pair.

FEED-GRAIN MARKET.

Barley.—Prime feed, 4s 3d; malting, 4s 6d bus.

Maize.—Market firm and steady. Local: River grain, 6s 4d to 6s 6d bus.; New Zealand, 6s 3d bus.; Victorian, 6s 3d; Argentine, 5s 10d bus., 5s 9d 25-ton lots.

Peas.—Market practically bare.

Chickwheat.—Choice 5s 1d, medium to 5s; New Zealand, 4s 8d to 4s 10d bus.

Oats.—Firm. Seed, prime 3s 10d; feed, Tasmanian, 3s 7d to 3s 8d, prime to 3s 9d; New Zealand, prime 3s 8½d to 3s 9d, good 3s 6d to 3s 7d, inferior from 3s 4d. Local: Algerian, prime 3s 7d bus.

BRAN AND POLLARD.

Bran was quoted at 1s 6½d, and pollard at 1s 7d bus.

POTATO MARKET.

Potatoes.—Tasmanian, Circulars, Redskins, prime £7 to £8 15s; others to £7 12s 6d; Derwents, to £6, choice £6 5s to £6 10s, inferior £5 5s; Ballarats, £6 10s to £6 15s, extra choice Reds to £7 5s; Early Rose (seed), £10 to £10 10s ton.

FORAGE MARKET.

Chaff.—Local, nominal. Adelaide: Prime, £6 15s; extra green, to £7; ordinary, £6 10s to £6 12s 6d. Victorian: £6s 7s 6d to £6 12s 6d; Tasmanian: £5 15s to £6 5s. Straw chaff, £3 5s to £3 15s ton.

Oaten Hay.—Local: Prime to £8 12s 6d, medium to £7 15s ton.

Straw.—Tasmanian: £2 2s 6d, inferior £1 17s 6d to £2. Local: Nominal.

Lucerne.—Hunter River: Good brown to £4 10s, prime £5, special choice green to £5 10s, small bales £5 10s ton.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Lard.—Very scarce. Bladders 10½d to 11d, bulk 10d lb.

Onions.—Victorian: Quiet. Prime, £5 15s, good to £5 10s, inferior from £3; American, £7 10s to £8 ton.

Beeswax.—1s 1d lb.

Turnips.—Hunter River, £4 10s to £4 15s ton.

Honey.—Scarce. Choice 3½d, extra choice clear 4d, other qualities 3½d to 3¼lb. for tins containing 60lb.

WOOD MARKET.

Fair supply. Good demand. Best footwood to 13s 9d, good 9s 6d to 10s 6d; bakers' split 8s 6d to 9s 6d, second quality none forward, large 7s 6d to 8s 6d; bundles, best 9s 6d to 10s 6d, second quality 6s 6d to 7s 6d; billets, none forward.

REDFERN SALE.

The supply forward to-day was limited to three truckloads of forage. Ordinary prime inter-state chaff found a buyer at 6s 5d cwt. Oaten hay and straw were offered without leading to business.

The consignees were:—Messrs. J. W. Gray and Co., and Ellis and Co.

Supplies were disposed of as follow:—

Chaff.—Ex Darling Harbour, (truck No. 8291) 6s 5d.

Oaten Hay.—From Anderson, Grenfell, (8215) passed.

Lucerne.—From M'Rae and Co., West Maitland (5364) passed.

FRUIT MARKETS.

At the Bathurst-street markets this morning fair supplies of most varieties of seasonable fruits were under offer. The Oonah arrived from Hobart with a shipment of 6482 cases of apples, which were not available for to-day's market. The American apples ex Ventura were not yet on the market. Business in all lines continued steady, movements in prices being few and of little importance.

Wholesale quotations were:—

Mandarins.—Emperors to 9s, good to 12s, choice to 14s gin-case; Thornies, inferior 3s to 5s, good to 7s, extra choice to 10s; choice Emperors, 7s 6d half-case.

Lemons.—Small from 6s, medium to 8s, good 10s to 11s, choice to 13s gin-case; Mildura, medium samples, 7s 6d to 8s.

Apples.—Tasmanian French Crabs, prime 6s to 6s 6d, others to 5s 6d; Scarlet Permains, small 5s to 6s, medium to 7s, good 8s, prime 10s to 12s, special lots to 14s; Sturmers, 7s to 8s, good 9s, choice 10s to 11s case.

Oranges.—Local: Prime to 12s, special lots to 13s, small and inferior 2s to 5s, fair quality to 6s, medium to 7s, good 8s to 10s, choice seedlings 14s to 16s; Sevilles, inferior, 3s to 4s; Navel oranges 12s to 25s gin-case. Adelaide: Navels, 20s to 25s; extra choice, large, 30s gin-case.

Bananas.—Fiji 2s to 4s 6d, Queensland 1s 6d to 3s bunch; Fiji 8s to 10s 6d, Queensland 6s to 9s case.

Pineapples.—Queens, 8s 6d to 10s; Commons, 9s to 10s; extra choice 11s case.

Cocoanuts.—12s bag.

Loquats.—Small to 3s 6d, good 4s, prime to 5s 6d gin-case, choicest 3s 6d to 4s 6d, extra large 5s; Heard's varieties, 8s to 12s half-case.

Pears.—American, 6s to 7s box containing 4 to 5 doz.

Strawberries.—Local, 9d to 1s 6d, special lots 1s 9d per quart box.

Cucumbers.—Queensland, 9s half-case containing three doz.

VEGETABLE MARKET.

Plentiful supplies of all varieties of seasonable vegetables were under offer at the Belmore Markets this morning. Business in all lines continued good at firm prices. Orders from the country still continue to come in freely.

Quotations:—Local: Cauliflowers, local 1s 6d to 2s, medium 2s 6d to 3s, good 3s 6d to 4s, choice 5s, extra large to 6s; cabbage, 1s to 1s 6d, good to 2s 6d, choice 3s to 4s doz.; horseradish 6s to 9s; asparagus, plentiful, 4s to 6s; beetroot, 1s; all herbs, 8d; plain spinach 6d, English 10d; eschalots, 1s; leeks, 10d to 1s; white turnips, 1s 6d to 1s 9d; rhubarb 1s 6d to 2s; celery, scarce, 3s to 3s 6d, soup 1s to 1s 6d; watercress, 8s; radishes, 6d; greenstuff, 4d; horse carrots, 4d; parsley, 1s; lettuce, 6d to 9d; parsnips, scarce, 1s 6d to 1s 9d; carrots, 1s to 1s 3d doz. bunches; green peas, 2s to 3s 6d; broad beans, 1s to 1s 6d bus.; French beans, 5s, river 3s 6d to 4s bus.; tomatoes, 4s 6d to 5s 6d quarter-case, Queensland 8s to 9s packer-case; chillies, 7s bus.; sweet potatoes, 10s; new potatoes, Early Rose, 10s to 11s; Kidneys, 13s to 14s; preserving melons, 5s to 7s; pumpkins, 8s to 12s doz.; cucumbers, 10s to 14s packer-case; vegetable marrows, 2s 6d to 3s.

CITY YARDS.

The market was fairly well supplied, 966 head being forward, backfatters and porkers comprising a large proportion of the offerings. The attendance of buyers was much smaller than usual, and in consequence competition was less active, despite the reduced rates ruling for nearly all descriptions. Owing to the supply of backfatters and heavy porkers being in excess of requirements their inquiry was somewhat restricted, and prices much easier, especially for the first-mentioned class of pig. Best quality baconers sold pretty well, but medium varieties were weaker, particularly at the opening sales. Stores were in keen request, values realised being higher than for a long time past. What few suckers were penned were quickly absorbed at late rates. Light porkers were also cheaper than last week; the fall, however, was not so noticeable. Quotations: Big, heavy backfatters £5 to £6 10s; extra weights £7 5s; best pens of baconers £4 15s, good and heavy 72s 6d to 80s, good from 60s, and light from 50s; best pens of porkers to 47s, good 33s to 40s, and light from 35s, stores 19s to 25s, suckers from 7s to 12s each.

## ADELAIDE WOOL SALES.

ADELAIDE, Tuesday.

Elder, Smith, and Co., Limited, report:—The second sale was held here yesterday, when 14,500 bales were offered and 13,000 bales sold, of which we sold 7500. Compared with the opening sales on September 25 prices for faulty and irregular merinos were lower by ½d per lb. and occasionally 1d. Good well-grown merinos are unchanged. Crossbred wools were in good demand, when of the finer grades. Lambswool was rather higher than at the opening sales. The Yorkshire competition was strong for all good merinos, but Continental buyers took considerably more than the Yorkshire buyers, the wools being more suited to their requirements. The principal lots sold were:—A. R. Lawson 9d to 10d, Canowie to 9½d, D.T.N. to 9½d, X.B. Lake 9d, Allan M'Farlane 8½d to 6½d, Waturga 8d to 8½d, Paratoo 8d, Wilpena and Werocata merino 8d, Werocata crossbreds 7d, Curnamona to 7½d, Outalpa to 7½d, R. Bruce 7½d, Bruse Mouchappie 7½d to 8½d, A.G.D. over Melton to 6½d, Mundowina to 6½d, W. and U. C. to 6½d, Mutooroo 5d to 6½d, Lake Torrens to 6½d, Beltana to 6½d, Siam 6½d to 7½d. The next sale will be held on November 3.

## STOCK SALES.

MELBOURNE, Tuesday.

In the live stock market to-day 26,000 fat sheep were yarded. There was a steady trade demand, especially for good and prime shorn wethers, and with additional competition of inter-state buyers. All grades of shorn suited to requirements ruled firmer throughout. All descriptions in the wool, however, were neglected, best woolly wethers ruling decidedly easier, while other sorts were dull of sale at about late rates. Quotations were:—Prime crossbred wethers, 19s 6d to 23s, a few at 25; good ditto ditto, 16s to 18s; prime crossbred ewes, 17s to 21s; good ditto ditto, 13s 6d to 16s; middling and inferior, 8s; merino wethers, 11s to 18s 9d; merino ewes, 6s 9d to 14s. Shorn sheep: Crossbred wethers, 12s 6d to 17s 9d; crossbred ewes, 10s to 15s 6d; merino wethers, 10s to 15s 6d; with medium and inferior grades, 4s 6d to 8s 9d.

14,000 fat lambs were penned. Owing to the keen competition of "freezers" biddings for best descriptions were brisk throughout, which realised improved rates, while for middling and inferior grades the demand was irregular, and prices were practically unaltered. Quotations were: Prime 10s 6d to 12s 3d, a few extra 14s to 15s, good 8s to 9s 6d, middling 5s 9d to 7s, inferior and small from 4s.

MELBOURNE FRUIT MARKETS.

MELBOURNE, Tuesday.

In the Queen Victoria market this morning prices for fruits ruled as follow:—Apples, 5s 6d to 10s per case; oranges, 5s 6d to 8s per case; lemons, 4s to 11s per case; loquats, 1d to 3d per lb.; strawberries, 1s to 2s per lb.

## LECTURES ON THE OLD TESTAMENT.

The Rev. Principal Harper, of St. Andrew's College, delivered the third of his series of lectures on the Old Testament in St. Stephen's Church, Phillip-street, yesterday afternoon to a large audience. The title was "Is Hebrew prophecy unique, or has it any points of resemblance with others." Dr. Harper examined the Hebrew prophecies at some length, and also compared them with those of heathen mythology, deducing the conclusion that in the beginning God had revealed Himself to all, but that those nations which departed from the truth into mythological errors fell away from God, while the Hebrews, though they at times fell away, never did so utterly. He made an extended comparison of the Greek and Hebrew prophecies, showing how Zeus and other gods made known their will to men in the Greek mythology, and the points of similarity between these and the inspired utterances and writings of the prophets. The difference between the two was that the Israelites began low and mounted higher in the realm of prophecy, while heathen nations did not rise beyond the empirical. The subject of the next lecture, which will be delivered on Tuesday next, was announced as a study of the consequences of the prophets.

Illtreating a Horse.—Before Mr. Isaacs, S.M., at the Water Police Court yesterday, William Henry Warren, 17, driver, was fined 5s, or imprisonment for 24 hours, on a charge of having cruelly illtreated a horse by working it whilst suffering from a sore back.

Robert Little and Co.—Hay, Chaff, Produce Auctioneers, Redfern, daily. Highest prices, immediate returns.—Advt.

Stewart, Porteous, and Co., 123 Sussex-st., Auctioneers and Prod. Salesmen. Auct. Sales daily at Redfern.—Advt.

The Farmers and Settlers' Co-op. Assn., 79 Q. Victoria Mkts. The farmers own agency.—Advt.

GEO. WELLS and MATTHEWS, Live Stock, Grains, Produce Salesmen. Sales Redf. daily. Prompt ret.—Advt.

BLOW FLIES. The only destroyer, The "Bess" Window Trap with Faulding's Insect Powder. All stores.—Advt.

# MINING INTELLIGENCE.

Business on the Mining market yesterday was very quiet, and with one or two exceptions prices showed few quotable changes. In Western Australian companies Great Boulder Proprietary were a shade firmer with sales at 19s; Lake View Consols sold at 50s, and Share Warrants ditto at 51s; while other stocks were steady. In tin Briseis recovered somewhat with business at 16s 6d and further buyers at 16s 3d; and Cope's Creek had a further advance with an exchange at 2s 7½d. Tasman Ophir rose steadily, opening sales being recorded at 2s 3d and afternoon business at 2s 6½d. In coal stocks Wallsend were taken at £34 12s 6d. Silver shares were dull, the only business being a sale of Sulphide Corporation at 5s 10d. Queensland gold companies had less attention than for some months past, due in some measure to the fact that business was delayed owing to interruption of the lines. The only transaction was a sale of Victoria and Caledonia, contributing, at 14s, and the market generally showed a weaker tendency.

Sydney Stock Exchange.—The closing quotations were:—

| | Buyer. | Seller. |
|---|---|---|
| COAL. | | |
| Bellambi | 30 | — |
| East Greta | 22 6 | 24/ |
| Hetton | 67/ | — |
| Newcastle | 16 10/ | — |
| Stockton | — | 8 3 |
| Ditto, new | 4/ | 5/ |
| Vale of Clwydd | 18/ | 20 |
| Wallsend | 34 0/ | 35 0/ |
| Waratah | 5/ | — |
| Wickham and Bullock Island | — | 2 6 |
| Ditto, preferential, £1 pd. | — | 8 |
| COPPER. | | |
| Cobar Chesney | — | 1/4 |
| Dottswood Freehold | — | 2/6 |
| Great Cobar | 75/ | — |
| Mungana (Chillagoe) | 1/ | 1/4 |
| TIN. | | |
| Briseis | 16 3 | 16 9 |
| SILVER. New South Wales. | | |
| British Broken Hill | — | 6 6 |
| Ditto, new | — | 4 9 |
| Broken Hill Proprietary | 28/ | — |
| Block 10 | 23/ | 26 |
| Block 14 | 1 9 | — |
| B.H. Junction | 1/ | 2/ |
| Junction N'th | 6d | — |
| North Broken | 6 10 | 7 9 |
| North Central | 1d | — |
| B. H. South | 19/ | 21/ |
| Ditto, con. | 11 6 | 12 6 |
| B. H. South Blocks | — | 5/ |
| Ditto, con. | 11d | 1 1 |
| New White Leads | — | 1/ |
| Sulphide Corporation | 5/8 | 5 10 |
| Ditto, preference | 12/ | — |
| Tasmania. | | |
| Curtin and Davis | 6d | 1/ |
| Mount Lyell | 41 | — |
| Tasman Ophir | — | 2 6 |
| GOLD. New South Wales, &c. | | |
| Baker's Creek | 5/ | — |
| Ballarat of New South Wales, con. | 2 3 | 2 6 |
| Century No. 1, con. | — | 1/3 |
| Day Dawn | 5 | — |
| Lachlan Gold Fields | 6/ | 7 6 |
| Mount David | 1/ | 1 6 |
| Mt. Drysdale | — | 10/ |
| Occidental | 9 6 | 10 |
| Peak Hill | 1 1 | 1 5 |
| Ditto, con. | 5d | 1 |
| Sunlight | 2d | 6d |
| Woodlark Island | 3 6 | 4/ |
| Ditto, con. | — | 3/ |
| Dredging and Sluicing Companies. | | |
| Araluen Central | — | 10 7 |
| Araluen Valley Consolidated | — | 7 3 |
| Associated Gold-dredg. | 2/ | 2 6 |
| Buckland River | 1/ | 2 6 |
| Cope's Creek | 2 7 | — |
| Federal Centrifugal | 1/ | 1 3 |
| Jembaicumbene Middle Ground | 6/ | — |
| New Araluen Junction | — | 3/8 |
| Wilberforce | — | 5 6 |
| Victoria. | | |
| Band and Loch United | 2/ | — |
| Black Horse | — | 20/ |
| Hustler's Reef | 27/ | 30/ |
| Hustler's Reef No. 1 | 33/ | — |
| Queensland. | | |
| Band of Hope | 28 6 | 29 3 |
| Brilliant Central | 65/ | — |
| Brilliant Extended | 21/ | 22/ |
| Ditto, con. | — | 20/ |
| Clark's Brilliant Worcester, &c. | 2 6 | 3 4 |
| East Oriental and Glanmire | — | 3/ |
| Kelly's Queen Block | 5 6 | — |
| Marshall's Queen | — | 17/ |
| Ditto, con. | — | 14 6 |
| M't Morgan | 70/ | 77/ |
| Nth Columbia and Smithfield No. 1, old | 4/ | 4 4 |
| Ditto, new | 3 9 | 4 1 |
| N'th Oriental and Glanmire No. 1 | 19/ | 21/ |
| No. 1 North Smithfield | 2 9 | 3 6 |
| Oriental and Columbia Consolidated | — | 2 8 |
| Ditto, con. | 1/ | — |
| Oriental Extended, con. | 5 3 | — |
| Papuan | 7/ | 8/ |
| Queen Central | 16/ | 16 6 |
| Queen Cross Reef | 36/ | — |
| South Glanmire and Monkland | 27/ | 29/ |
| South Great Eastern No. 2 | 82/ | 83 6 |
| Vesuvius | 10 3 | — |
| Victoria and Caledonia Block | 15 3 | 16 9 |
| Ditto, con. | 13 9 | 14 6 |
| Western Australia. | | |
| Associated | 29 6 | 30/ |
| Ditto, Northern Blocks | 69/ | 71 |
| Chaffer's | — | 3/ |
| Great Boulder | 18 9 | 19 3 |
| Ditto, Main Reef | 22/ | 13 3 |
| Gt. Boulder Perseverance | 9/10/ | 9 15 |
| Hannan's Block 45 | — | 1/ |
| Hannan's Oroya | 54/ | 56/ |
| Kalgurli, London register | 69 9 | 72 6 |
| Kalgurli South, London register | — | 21 6 |
| Lake View Consols | 50/ | 52/ |
| Ditto, Share Warrants | 50/ | 51/ |
| Queensland Menzies | 8 3 | 10/ |
| Queen Margaret | 6 6 | 7/ |
| Queen Margaret Central | 1 2 | 1 6 |

EXCHANGE SALES.

The following sales were reported:—Forenoon: On 'Change—Great Boulder Proprietary, 19s. Later: Tasman Ophir, 2s 3d; Cope's Creek, 2s 7½d; Mungana (Chillagoe), 1s 1d; Great Boulder Proprietary, 19s. Noon: Tasman Ophir, 2s 5d. Later: Tasman Ophir, 2s 6d; Victoria and Caledonia Block, contributing, 14s; Lake View Consols, 50s; Sulphide Corporation, 5s 10d; Newcastle Wallsend Coal, £34 12s 6d. Afternoon: Lake View Consols Share Warrants, 51s; Tasman Ophir, 2s 6d; Briseis Tin Mines, 16s 6d; Tasman Ophir, 2s 6½d; Hustler's Reef, 29s 3d.

Mr. R. N. Kirk, Sydney agent for the Broken Hill Proprietary Company, Limited, advises the receipt of the following cable by the company:—"London, October 20. Silver, 1s 11¾d (official quotation); lead, £10 13s 9d (buyers' price); company's shares, £1 9s (buyer)."

The manager of the Oriental and Glanmire Company (Gympie) reports getting quartz carrying gold in the 1080ft. crosscut west of shaft.

With reference to a paragraph from our Forbes correspondent published on Wednesday last stating that machinery and a battery had been erected by the Houraki Gold-mining company, and that crushing was to be begun at once, Mr. Robert W. Hardie informs us that the company has not yet erected a battery, and that the main shaft is to be put down 400ft. before crushing is commenced, probably about 18 months' hence.

## MINING IN NEW SOUTH WALES.

COBAR, Tuesday.

The Cobar Gold Mines, Limited, the Mount Drysdale gold mine, and Eldorado gold mine have each been granted a three months' suspension of the labour conditions on account of the scarcity of water.

COOMA, Tuesday.

The Democrat Gold Mining Company's main shaft, Cowra Creek, is down nearly 200ft. Work is also being carried on in the south tunnel, and 30 tons have just been sent to Dapto for treatment. Other parties are busy, but Lewis's battery is hung up for want of water, with some hundreds of tons awaiting treatment.

LITHGOW, Tuesday.

Reports from Sunny Corner state that the owners of the Coronation Reef are putting through a parcel of stone at Rob's Creek mill, and good returns are anticipated. A party of local men are taking out a crushing from a reef in Milson's paddock. Roberts and party have completed sinking the depth for which they received aid from the prospecting vote for their reef at Tindall's flat. Cooper and party are prospecting what is said to be a very satisfactory show at Dark Corner. At Big Hill work is progressing. Jones and Curnow, working Tonkin lease which was recently cancelled, state that they are bagging a quantity of ore for the purpose of having it treated to ascertain the value of contents of lode formation.

YAMBULLA, Tuesday.

The latest crushing of 11 tons by Roberts and party gave a return of 2oz. 4dwt. per ton. M'Cloy crushed 11 tons for 1½oz. per ton.

## BARRIER MINES.

BROKEN HILL, Tuesday.

The South Blocks is showing good ore at all points of the workings. The south drive from No. 2 shaft, 200ft. level, which measures 42ft., containing sulphides worth 26 per cent. lead and 3½oz. silver. At No. 3 shaft, 200ft. level, the eastern crosscut to meet north winze has reached 12ft., all the way in good ore, late assays giving 31¼ per cent. lead and 5½oz. silver. This winze has been sunk 96ft. in mill sulphides assaying 28¼ per cent. lead and 5oz. silver.

At the South mine a new race is being constructed out to the westward for carrying off surplus slimes which at times prove troublesome. There is but little change in the appearance of working stopes, which look healthy everywhere. Assays, however, of ore mined for the past week were lower than for a long time, averaging only 15¼ per cent. lead, 7oz. silver, and 15 per cent. zinc.

## INTER-STATE EXCHANGES.

ADELAIDE, Tuesday.

Sales and quotations on the Exchange to-day were:—Broken Hill Proprietary, buyer 29s, seller 29s 6d; South B. Hill, paid, buyer 19s 9d, seller 20s 6d; ditto, contributing, buyer 10s 6d, seller 11s 6d; Junction North, 5½d; Sulphide Corporation, ordinary, 6s, 5s 11d, 6s; Associated Gold Mines, colonial, 29s 10½d, 29s 6d, buyer 29s 6d, seller 29s 7½d; Associated Northern Blocks, London, 69s 6d; ditto, colonial, 69s, 69s 3d, 68s, buyer 68s, seller 68s 3d; Boulder Half-mile South, 2d; Crœsus Proprietary, 2½d; Chaffer's 4s, buyer 4s, seller 4s 1d; Cosmopolitan, buyer 17s 6d, seller 18s 6d; Great Boulder Proprietary, 19s, 19s 1½d, 19s, buyer 19s, seller 19s 1½d; Boulder Main Reef, 12s 9d, 13s, 12s 9d, 12s 10½d, 12s 9d, buyer 12s 9d, seller 12s 10½d; Great Fingals, buyer £6 15s, seller £6 18s; Hainault, 8s 10d, buyer 8s 10d, seller 8s 11d; Hannan's Oroya, 54s 6d, 54s, 54s 3d, 54s, buyer 54s, seller 54s 3d; Island Eureka, 10s, 9s 6d, buyer 9s 3d, seller 9s 9d; ditto, South, 1s 8d, buyer 1s 7d, seller 1s 9½d; Ivanhoe, colonial, buyer £7 3s, seller £7 7s; ditto, Junction, 1s 6d, buyer 1s 5½d, seller 1s 7d; Lake View Consols (colonial), buyer 49s 6d, seller 50s 6d; North Kalgurli, paid, buyer 6s 3d, seller 6s 6d; Princess Royal, paid, buyer 35s, seller 36s; ditto, contributing, buyer 34s 6d, seller 35s 6d; ditto North, paid, 2s 3d, buyer 2s 5d, seller 2s 7d; ditto ditto, contributing, 1s 4½d, buyer 1s 2d, seller 1s 3d; Queen Margaret, 6s 4½, buyer 6s 3d, seller 6s 5d; Queensland Menzies, 8s 10d, 9s, 8s 11d, buyer 8s 10d, seller 8s 11d; Westralia Waihi, paid, 2s 1d, buyer 2s, seller 2s 1d; ditto, contributing, 1s 0½d, 1s 1d, 1s 0½d, buyer 1s 0½d, seller 1s 1d; Victory United (at auction), 4½d, 5½d, buyer 4½d, seller 6d; Baker's Creek, buyer 5s 3d, seller 5s 8d; Tarcoola Blocks, 8s 9d, 8s 8d, buyer 8s 7d, seller 8s 8d; North Queensland Tin, buyer 50s, seller 80s; Briseis, 16s 3d, buyer 16s 1½d, seller 16s 6d; Stannary Hills, 9s 3d, 8s 11d, 9s 1d, 8s 8d, buyer 8s 7d, seller 8s 9d; Smith's Creek, 13s, 12s 4½d, 12s 6d, buyer 12s 3d, seller 12s 6d; Arbouin Hills, 1s 7d, buyer 1s 9d, seller 1s 10d.

BALLARAT, Tuesday.

Sales on the Exchange to-day were:—Berry United, 2s; Birthday, 17s 9d, 19s; Birthday Tunnel, 1s 3d; Duke of Wellington, 2s 1d, 2s 4d; Glenfine No. 1, 1s 2d, 1s; Hepburn Extended, 1s 6d; Llanberris No. 1, 4s 6d; New Birthday, 6s 10½d, 7s 11d; Reef Hill, 4s 8d; Sons of Freedom South, 2s 7½d.

BENDIGO, Tuesday.

On the Exchange to-day sales were:—Cumberland and Phœnix, 1s 4d; Golden Pyke, 16s 3d; Hustler's Reef, 29s, 30s, 29s 3d, 29s 9d; Lazarus, 1s 6d (50); New Moon United, 1s 11½d; New Moon Consolidated, 4s 5d, 4s 7d; North Johnson's, 3s 1d; South New Moon, £5 19s; South Prince of Wales, 1s 9d; New Argus, 16s 9d.

BRISBANE, Tuesday.

On the Stock Exchange to-day New Chillagoes were quoted seller 3s; Mount Garnet Freehold, buyer 6d.

CHARTERS TOWERS, Tuesday.

Sales on the Exchange to-day were:—Bonnie Dundee, 13s 6d; Brilliant Extended, contributing, 20s; Day Dawn Gold Mines, 17s 6d; No. 2 S.E. Day Dawn, 4d, 4½d; Phœbe, 2s 3d; Queen Cross Extended, 4½d; Queen Central, paid, 16s; Ruby, 3s 2d, 3s 3d; Ruby United, 1s 11d, 2s; Victoria and Caledonia, 13s 10d, 14s; ditto, paid, 16s.

Quotations were:—Bonnie Dundee, seller 14s; Brilliant and St. George, paid, seller 26s 6d; Brilliant Extended, buyer 20s 3d, seller 20s 6d; ditto, paid, buyer 21s 9d, seller 22s 6d; Clark's B. W. and Victory, paid, buyer 2s 9d, seller 3s 2d; Craven's Caledonia, seller 3s; Coronation, buyer 8d, seller 10d; ditto, paid, buyer 1s 9d, seller 2s; Currency Lass, buyer 5s 3d, seller 7s; Day Dawn P. C., buyer 2s 6d, seller 3s; Day Dawn Gold Mines, buyer 17s, seller 18s; Day Dawn West, buyer 8d, seller 10d; ditto, paid, buyer 1s 4d, seller 1s 10d; Day Dawn Consolidated, seller 11s; Kelly's Queen, buyer 3s; ditto, paid, buyer 4s, seller 4s 6d; Lady Florence, buyer 10d, seller 1s; Marshall's Queen, buyer 14s; ditto, paid, buyer 15s, seller 17s; Mills' United, buyer 5s 1d, seller 5s 3d; Mount Spec T.M. Company, buyer 1s 6d, seller 1s 10d; New Queen, buyer 4s 1d, seller 4s 6d; No. 2 Southeast Day Dawn, buyer 4½d, seller 6d; Papuan, buyer 7s 6d, seller 8s; Phœbe, buyer 2s 4d, seller 2s 6d; Queen Cross Reef, buyer 37s, seller 40s; Queen Cross Extended, buyer 4d, seller 6d; Queen Central, 16s; ditto, paid, buyer 16s 6d, seller 16s 3d; Ruby, buyer 3s, seller 3s 3d; ditto, paid, buyer 3s 3d, seller 3s 9d; Ruby United, buyer 11d, seller 1s; ditto, paid, buyer 1s 10d, seller 1s 11d; Victoria and Queen, buyer 26s 6d, seller 28s; Victoria and Caledonia, buyer 13s 6d, seller 14s; ditto, paid, buyer 16s, seller 16s 6d; Victoria G.M., buyer 3s 6d, seller 4s; Wallis Day Dawn, buyer 11d, seller 1s 1d; ditto, paid, buyer 2s.

GYMPIE, Tuesday.

Sales on the Stock Exchange to-day were:—Glanmire and Monkland Tributes, 9½d; Oriental and Columbia Consols, contributing, 1s 2½d, 1s 6d; Eastern Smithfield Tribute, 4s 5d, 4s 4d.

Quotations were:—Columbia Smithfield, buyer 4s 11d, seller 5s 9d; No. 1 North Columbia, new, buyer 3s 10d, seller 4s; ditto, old, buyer 4s, seller 4s 3d; Glanmire and Monkland Tribute, buyer 9d, seller 9½d; No. 1 South Great Eastern, buyer 1s 1½d, seller 1s 5½d; No. 2 ditto, buyer 81s, seller 84s; No. 3 ditto, buyer 8d, seller 8½d; Oriental and Glanmire, new, buyer 16s, seller 20s; ditto, old, buyer 19s, seller 25s; No. 2 North Oriental, buyer, 1s 10d, seller 1s 11d; North Oriental, buyer 2s 6d, seller 2s 7d; Oriental Extended, buyer 5s 4d, seller 5s 9d; East Oriental, buyer 4s 9d, seller 5s 9d; Oriental and Columbia Consols, paid, buyer 2s 5d, seller 2s 9d; ditto, contributing, buyer 1s 5d, seller 1s 8d; Oriental Consols, buyer 11s 6d, seller 12s; Phœnix Golden Pile, buyer 10½d, seller 11½d; No. 6 North Phœnix, buyer 1s 1d, seller 1s 2d; Phœnix Eastern Tribute, buyer 1s, seller 1s 1d; Eastern Smithfield Tribute, buyer 4s 4d, seller 4s 6d; South Scottish, buyer 1s 4d, seller 1s 5d; Wilmot's Extended, buyer 6s, seller 8s.

HOBART, Tuesday.

Quotations on the Stock Exchange to-day were:—Comet, buyer, 10d; Magnet, seller 26s; North Farrel, buyer 5s 2d, seller 5s 7d; Lyell Blocks, buyer 1s 6½d, seller 1s 9d; Tasman and Crown Lyell Extended, buyer 9d, seller 11d; Briseis, buyer 16s.

LAUNCESTON, Tuesday.

Stock Exchange quotations and sales to-day were:—Tasmania Gold Mine, buyer £5 3s, seller £5 7s 6d; Volunteer, buyer 3s 4d, seller 3s 6d; Magnet, seller 26s; Mount Lyell, seller 48s; New Golden King, sales 1s 6d, 1s 5d; North Farrell, buyer 5s 2d, seller 5s 4d; Mount Bischoff, buyer £35 15s; Arba, buyer 11s 3d, seller 12s; South Esk, sales 1s 11d.

MELBOURNE, Tuesday.

Business in mining shares on the Exchange to-day comprised sales as follow:—Broken Hill Junction North, 8d; Crown Lyell, 15d; Curtin and Davis, 10d; Mount Lyell Blocks, 1s 7d; North Mount Lyell, 24s 6d; South Mount Lyell, paid, 1s 6d; Briseis, 16s 6d, 16s 7½d, 16s 4½d; Smith's Creek, 12s 7½d, 13s; Surprise Gully, 1s; Great Boulder Proprietary, 19s, 18s 9d; Western Australian Waihi, 2s 2d; ditto, paid, 2s 3d; Cassilis, 24s; Glenfine South, 30s, 31s; Hustler's Reef, 27s 6d, 30s 3d, 29s 9d; Hustler's No. 1, 33s; Long Tunnel, 15s 6d; Long Tunnel Extended, £16 15s, £16 13s, £16 15s; South German, 29s, 30s; South New Moon, 6s; Star of the East, 27s 6d; All Nations, 5s 6d, 5s, 4s 11d; Amalgamated Scots and Perthshire, 7½d; Berry United, 2s 1d; Birthday Tunnel, 10s 3d, 10s 4½d, 10s 3d; Chalk's No. 3, 4s 3d; Duke North, 3s 2d; Duke of Wellington, 2s 2d, 2s 6d; Great Southern, 9s; Great Southern No. 1, 10s, 9s 6d, 9s 11d; M'Intyre, 3s; New Dempsey, 26s 6d, 26s; New Moon Consols, 4s 6d; Spring Hill and Central Leads, 26s; Victor's Quartz, 13s 6d, 14s.

## WESTERN AUSTRALIAN DEVELOPMENTS.

KALGOORLIE, Tuesday.

At the South Kalgurli the first of a series of diamond-drill bore holes has been put in horizontally eastward from No. 3 south level to the Kalgurli boundary, and assays of the drill core are being made to determine the gold-bearing character of the country penetrated. A second bore has been started westward at a point 50ft. from the southern boundary. This hole, which is being drilled at a depressed angle to cut what is known as the middle and Morts lodes at a depth from 800ft. to 1000ft., will travel parallel with the Perseverance lease a distance of 500ft. Despite reports to the contrary the South Kalgurli ore bodies are developing satisfactorily. This is particularly noticeable at the South and the 34ft. level main workings, where stone of splendid grade is being stoped in the vicinity of the Perseverance boundary for a good length and width.

The Merton's furnaces recently installed at the Great Boulder are being given a trial run, and will probably be in full operation at the end of this month.

## NEW ZEALAND GOLD-DREDGING.

WELLINGTON (N.Z.), Tuesday.

Gold won by the West Coast dredges from January 1 to September 30 was 22,767oz. During the week ended yesterday reports received from 72 dredges in the Otago district gave a total yield of 2407oz.

MELBOURNE, Tuesday.

The New Chillagoe Railway and Mines, Limited, reports as follows:—Queenslander: Completed equipment, Penzance: Drive 150ft. level looking well. Zillmanton: Starting main shaft equipment; 250ft. level, No. 1 crosscut passed through sulphide, now in poor lode formation; 160ft. level, cutting plat and extending drive; started stoping in whip shaft. Hobson: Unchanged. Boomerang: Opencut producing good ore; shaft north crosscut in garnet. Harper: Shaft sunk a further 16ft., total 340ft.; open cut, advancing heading.

GOLD YIELDS.

Brilliant Central (C.T.) crushed 1535 tons for 1419 oz. gold. This includes trial crushing from footwall reef of 65 tons for 122oz.

British Queen crushed 158 tons for 32oz. 8dwt.

Last Chance United, 184oz. 19dwt.

New Normanby, 521 tons for 282oz. 7dwt.

New Royal Standard Gold-mining Company crushed 314 tons for 42½oz. retorted gold.

North Woah Hawp, 332 tons for 176oz. 17dwt.

Victoria and Caledonia Block (C.T.) crushed 300 tons for 479oz.

REPORTS.

The Royal Standard Gold-mining Company, No Liability, reports as follows:—North drive above slide driven 5ft., total 57ft! Stone 1in. wide. Stopes carrying fair stone of 4in., average width. Crushed 31¼ tons for 42½oz. retorted gold. Stoped for the month 226ft. in length, main drive 15ft., rises 9ft., total 249ft.

The manager of the Mount David Gold-mining Company reports for the week ended the 18th instant:—300ft. level: Reef in the south-east drive off No. 1 south-west crosscut same as last report. Am now extending the crosscut further west, with a view to see if there is any stone in the footwall. Making good progress with the No. 2 south-west crosscut; country still intermixed with quartz leaders. Have just met with about 12in. of stone in the rise south-east of "A" rise, showing fair gold. Intermediate level: The reef in the two stopes south-east of the rise is averaging about 20in. in thickness, and occasionally shows very fair in the solid stone. South-west crosscut, opposite rise: Making fair progress with the rise; reef about same size as last report, and payable. No. 2 level: No change in the reef south-east drive. 100ft. level: Have just met with some stone in the No. 3 south-west crosscut; believe same to be the western reef. Will send more particulars when the footwall is met with. Pump shaft, intermediate level: The reef in the south-east drive will average about 2ft. 6in., and prospects payable. No change in the reef in the stopes over the top intermediate drive since last report.

The manager of the Copetite Tin Mines, Watsonville (Q.), reports to 17th instant:—Breaking very promising ground, deepest point Montgomery's shaft; good ore being raised.

## WELCOME TO A BAPTIST MINISTER.

A welcome tea was given yesterday to the Rev. James Barker, from South Australia, who has accepted a call to take charge of the Bathurst-street Baptist Church. A public meeting of welcome was held in the church in the evening. The Rev. Henry Clark (president of the Baptist Union) occupied the chair, and there was a large attendance. Mr. E. Jones extended a warm welcome to the new minister on behalf of the congregation of the Bathurst-street Church, and the Rev. F. Hibberd on behalf of the Baptist Union. Short addresses were also delivered by the Rev. D. Porter (president of the Evangelical Council), the Revs. W. J. Taylor (Methodist City Mission), J. Ferguson (St. Stephen's Presbyterian Church), and C. S. Rose. The Rev. James Barker, in responding, thanked them all for the kindly welcome extended to him. He had come there to work, and he hoped they would give him their prayers and sympathy.

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## ANNUAL AMALGAMATED RAILWAY PICNIC.

GOULBURN DIVISION.

GOULBURN, Monday.

For the first time railway men whose centre is Goulburn held their annual picnic to Crookwell as a united body. Hitherto the permanent way men held an annual celebration, and the loco. and engineering staff held theirs upon different days. The amalgamated arrangement has proved a success. To-day's picnic has been carried out under a united committee, composed of Messrs. W. Clancy (president), J. Bugg (treasurer), W. Wilson and E. Gould (secretaries), J. Corran and F. Topham (judges of sports), F. Tandy (referee), J. Finley, E. Tandy, and W. James (handicappers), C. Taylor (track master), J. Finley (starter), assisted by a committee consisting of W. Coombes, H. Jewel, J. Stevenson, E. Emerton, W. Cornford, W. Topham, A. Lansdowne, H. Wessler, W. Phillips, and F. G. Davis. Two special trains left Goulburn in the morning, one at 8.30 and the other at 9.30, and they were both packed with passengers, totalling in all between two and three thousand individuals, young and old. Crookwell show ground, prettily located about three-quarters of a mile from the railway station, was the chosen spot, and its suitability was commented upon in assuring terms by the committee and visitors. After recent showers and the copious rain of Sunday, the country around was dressed in its freshest, with grass springing abundantly in all directions. The day was bright and warm, and enjoyment was the order of the event. A long programme of athletic sports, dancing in the pavilion, and a merry-go-round, enlivened by the band of the 1st Australian Horse, filled the day with amusement and diversion, while the activity and geniality of Secretaries Gould and Wilson, well supported by the officers and committee, put the programme through without a hitch. The traffic arrangements were under the immediate control of the district railway inspector, and everything passed off without mishap. The first train returned to Goulburn at 6 o'clock, and the second at 8 o'clock. Dancing was carried on in the Mechanics' Institute, Goulburn, from 9 o'clock till 2 o'clock.

The various events on the sports programme were well contested. The one-mile bicycle race fell to H. Kinnerley, 1; W. Worchorst, 2. 100 yards railway handicap: W. Card, 1; A. Webb, 2. 75 yards employees' sons, 14 and under: O. Coombes, 1; Hannan, 2. 75 yards girls' race: Griffin, 1; Ethel A'Hearn, 2. Egg and spoon: A. Kingsland, 1; J. Leon, 2. Three-legged race: W. Wood and J. Warn, 1; H. Hogan and F. Boys, 2. Open bicycle half-mile: L. Harris, 1; H. Kinnerley, 2. Tossing the caber: W. Bates, 1; W. Corran, 2. Open handicap flat: F. Wills (8 yards), 1; D. Branson (7 yards), 2. Married women: Mrs. Pearce (Wingello), 1; Mrs. Dredge, 2. Throwing at wicket: W. O'Neil, 1; A. Harvey, 2. Boys' hoop: A. Jones, 1; H. Blackett, 2. Girls' hoop: G. Cornfoy, 1; J. Rich, 2. Old buffers: A. Hearn, 1. Wheelbarrow: Webb and Leon, 1; James and Blackett, 2. Stepping contest: L. Harris, 1; J. Howard, 2. Over £20 was paid away in prize-money, a large proportion of which was contributed by residents of Crookwell in honour of the occasion. The Railway Commissioners provided free train accommodation.

## ABSTRACT OF SALES BY AUCTION THIS DAY.

HOUSES AND LAND.

HARDIE and GORMAN.—At their Rooms, at 11.30, Houses and Land, and Civil Service Co-operative Shares.

FURNITURE AND MERCHANDISE.

A. TRAVERSI and CO.—At their Rooms, at 11, Workboxes, Writing Desks, Fancy Goods, Cutlery, &c.

DALWOOD and CO.—At 5 Camberville-terrace, Nelson-street, Woollahra, at 11, Furniture, Glassware, China, Pianoforte, Sewing Machine, &c.

LAWSON, HENDERSON, and CO.—At their Rooms, at 11, Cut Tumblers, Curry Powder, Chairs, Groceries, Teas, Wines, Spirits, &c.

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Stealing.—Before Mr. Isaacs, S.M., at the Water Police Court yesterday, Edward Cleveland Morris, 18, seaman, was charged with having stolen 10 tins of paint, valued at £2 2s 8d, from the barque Drummuir, the property of Caleb R. Armstrong. Accused was fined £3, or, in default, one month's imprisonment.

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# SPORTING INTELLIGENCE

## THE TURF.

Though trainers had the course proper to send their horses on there was very little work of interest done at Randwick yesterday morning. Oblivion beat Benedick over a mile in 1 minute 51½ seconds, and Carasel ran about six furlongs at his best pace. Curraway galloped six furlongs, and Sonoma beat Marathon over seven in 1 minute 37¼ seconds, which was Antes's record for the distance. Goldstain, Cordon, Lucknow, Fungus, Nest, Glory, and several others did useful work, and on the tan Dottswood beat Chassepot handsomely over a mile in 1 minute 48 seconds, and Street Arab had the call over Long Tom at the end of a similar journey, the last seven furlongs of which he ran in 1 minute 34 seconds. Wait-a-Bit II. badly beat Crosslake over six furlongs in 1 minute 19½ seconds, and T.M.S. did a stout working gallop over a mile. Bonnie Boy (T. Grimes) and Aquilla (T. Gorman) jumped half a dozen hurdles at a fast pace, but Wonga, who started with them, obstinately refused to jump.

Settling over the Caulfield races has been fixed by Tattersall's Club to take place to-morrow.

The Caulfield Cup winner, Lieutenant Bill, is owned by Mr. Colin C. M'Culloch, of Warbreccan station, New South Wales, and whose nom de course is "C. Christison." The son of Pilgrim's Progress was trained by D. Harris at Caulfield.

Pony and galloway races will be held at Kensington to-day, the first event starting at 2.15 p.m.

Entries close to-day, at 5 p.m., with the secretary, Mr. S. Peters, for the pony and galloway races to be held at Brighton on Friday next. The programme will be found in the advertising columns. The Novice Handicap is for horses that have not won a prize of over 15 sovs.

Mr. M. O'Connor shipped yesterday by the steamship Kent the following horses for South Africa:—Crusty, by Padlock, a well-known performer; Arbiter, by Clayton (imp.); Clanronald, by Clan Stuart; Zeeba, by Zulu from Tomasset; Junita, by Woodfellow; Diabalo, by The Sinner. The trotters included a br g, 4 years, by Conrad; g m, by Vancleeve; br g, by Vermont Duke; b g, by Knight Errant. A pony stallion by the Don out of a Bonnie Charlie mare was also in the consignment, and 20 powerful heavy draught horses and 30 light harness horses.

The scratchings recorded yesterday in connection with the Warwick Farm October meeting were Dan O'Connell out of the Stewards' Handicap and Camden out of the Farm Stakes.

A commission in favour of Patronus for the Melbourne Cup was yesterday executed in the Sydney betting market, and about £2000 taken at 100 to 2. There was a steady demand for Strata Florida for the same race at 6 to 1, and finally 5 to 1 was all that was offered. Most of the money for the colt was for hedging purposes.

Musselbrook was yesterday struck out of the A.J.C. December Stakes, St. Leger, and Derby.

Our Bourke correspondent telegraphs that at a public meeting held at the Post Office Hotel last night it was decided to hold a day's horseracing on the Bourke Racecourse on November 10. Mr. T. Keating presided. Mr. P. Fitzgerald was elected hon. treasurer and Mr. W. Ross hon. secretary. A strong committee was also formed.

Our Cooma correspondent telegraphs that a jockey club has been formed at Dalgety. The following officers have been elected:—Patron, Mr. G. T. C. Miller, M.L.A.; president, Mr. H. C. Merritt; vice-presidents, Messrs. N. Eccleston, A. Mudie, D. Crisp, E. O'Brien; judge, Mr. N. Eccleston; clerk of scales, Mr. D. Crisp.

Pony and galloway races will be held at Forest Lodge on Saturday next, and entries for the different events close with the secretary, Mr. E. G. James, at 5 p.m. to-day. The programme appears in the business sheets.

Messrs. William Inglis and Son will offer for sale by auction at their City Bazaar to-day:—Venue, 5 years, by Goldsborough from Mascara; Goldatha, 5 years, by Goldsborough from Agatha; Tommy Moore, by Cranbrook from Lalla Rook; Midnight, by Manton from Mornie; Lucy, a trotting mare, by Childe Harold; Thurlow, a trotting gelding, by Rebel Childe; and a trotting mare, by Vancleeve.

Owing to the increasing danger to horses proceeding through the city to the present measuring yard, it has been decided by the Kensington proprietary to remove operations to Mr. Alfred Pick's Duke of Cleveland Hotel stables, Cleveland and Dowling streets, opposite Moore Park. Measurements will hereafter be made there every Monday from 12 noon to 4 p.m.

## VICTORIAN TRAINING NOTES.

### KILT RUNS A VERY FAST MILE.

FLEMINGTON.

MELBOURNE, Tuesday.

It was calm and bright this morning at Flemington, and the tracks were in splendid order, everything being in favour of fast time. Maelgwyn did some half pace work. Strata Florida (Turner) had the company of Pathos for the first four furlongs and of Black Watch for the last nine of a useful gallop done in a shade worse than even time, the Derby favourite appearing to enjoy his task. Footbolt trotted while Fishery went a mile on the tan at sound pace. Martinique beat Clarus and Havers over five furlongs, run in 1 minute 5¾ seconds. Blunderer bowled along on the tan. Flagship, none the worse for his run, went steadily. El Koran got over a mile at three-parts pace. Air Motor trotted, and Positive galloped a mile on the tan, the last five furlongs occupying 1 minute 9 seconds. Sweet Nell and The Point spurted four furlongs on the tan in 55 seconds. Reims and Free States galloped a long mile and a quarter on the tan, the last nine furlongs taking 2 minutes 10 seconds. The Corsican went comfortably for a mile on the tan, run in 1 minute 55 seconds. Zeus spurted four furlongs in 54½ seconds. Loyal had little difficulty in running a mile in 1 minute 50 seconds. Czarovitch was going very easily over four furlongs, run in 56 seconds. Lord Allendale and Safe Deposit spurted the same distance in 52½ seconds. Abington ran the last five furlongs of six in 1 minute 9¼ seconds. On the tan Weronga did a strong mile. The Persian (Gardner) and Eleanor galloped a mile and a quarter in 2 minutes 22½ seconds. Billali and Falkirk ran a mile on the tan in 1 minute 53¼ seconds. Kilt established a record for the season, getting over a mile in the exceptionally fast time of 1 minute 44¼ seconds. Evidently his Cup race has done him good. Duke of Grafton ran the last three of four furlongs in 41½ seconds. Still Water and First Thought got over six furlongs in 1 minute 6¾ seconds. Brakpan (Kuhn) went very well indeed for a mile and a half in the good time of 2 minutes 43¼ seconds, the last six furlongs being done in 1 minute 21 seconds. A real good gallop. Royalty ran four furlongs in 53 seconds. Sojourner went a mile and three-quarters, with Ebb to help him over that last seven furlongs, in the good time of 2 minutes 29 seconds, and did it well. Oakwood went nicely throughout a gallop of a mile, the last six furlongs occupying 1 minute 21½ seconds. Abundance (Jennings) and Felicitous (W. Bennett) were close together at the end of a mile, run in 1 minute 47¼ seconds. Both were ridden right out, and the colt ran from the whip perceptibly. Kinglock was striding along. Ibex went nicely for a mile, the last six furlongs being registered in 1 minute 22 seconds comfortably. The Caretaker and Menis ran the last six furlongs of a mile and a quarter in 1 minute 24 seconds. Bay Eagle did strong work. The Victory galloped a mile and a half on the tan in 2 minutes 53¼ seconds, Gosport helping the first seven furlongs and Patronus the last five. The last mile occupied 1 minute 53 seconds, the Cup horse going pretty well throughout.

CAULFIELD.

The weather was perfect at Caulfield this morning, while the grass was very fast, but very little work was done. Velox and Katoomba spurted four furlongs in 52½ seconds. Amyas ran the same distance and was untimed. Hazel Lad merely trotted, and Acasia went at half pace; the latter in company with Merton Steel ran a mile yesterday in 1 minute 46 seconds. War Chief went along at an even-time gait for six furlongs. Fireman was on the sand for a mile and a quarter, in 2 minutes 26½ seconds, while Seaport went the same journey outside even time. The Idler was restricted to the easiest of exercise. Sir Leonard, looking very light, did easy pacing. Gratis was going as well as Butternut for a mile, run in 1 minute 50½ seconds. Australia did nothing, while Lieutenant Bill, looking the better for his race, did strong work over a mile and a quarter, Wakeful doing something similar, while Cadenas did the same half pace work, finishing up with two furlongs, run in 26 seconds. Merallie and Madge slipped over five furlongs in 1 minute 9 seconds. Bullion, Jewel, Bill of Melton, and Scottish King were let off with easy tasks. Booby did serviceable exercise; so also did Lowland Chief and Killua.

## VICTORIAN SPORTING NEWS.

MELBOURNE, Tuesday.

Business over the Derby and Cup was again very dull to-day. The best price on offer against Strata Florida for the Derby was 10 to 9, while Abundance figured at 6 to 4, and Brakpan at 8 to 1. Strata Florida continued a strong favourite for the Melbourne Cup at 5 to 1 offered, with 600 to 100 wanted. Bar him odds of 100 to 8 were obtainable, Flagship, Patronage, Wakeful, Abundance, and The Persian each being on that mark. Lieutenant Bill was backed for a small amount at 100 to 6, with that price still on offer. At the close Patronus was backed to win 2000 at 100 to 3.

One of the biggest winners over Lieutenant Bill amongst backers was a French sportsman at present visiting Australia. He backed him, it is stated, for a fair stake, and also had a good win over Killua, who was successful in the Windsor Handicap.

It was expected that Saida would come over to run in the Oaks, but the filly was scratched for all her V.R.C. engagements to-day. The other V.R.C. scratchings recorded were:—Maribyrnong Plate: Kelp and Sunderland. Oaks Stakes: Buttercup filly.

J. Chevalley, who was injured when King Pin fell with him in the Hurdle Race on Saturday, is progressing favourably, and he will, it is thought, be well enough to leave Caulfield casualty room to-morrow.

One of the best gallops at Flemington to-day was that recorded by Kilt, who ran a good mile. Abundance shifted a bit under punishment at the end of a mile gallop with Felicitous. Brakpan shaped very well indeed in a mile and a half gallop.

## ROSEBERY PARK PONY AND GALLOWAY RACES.

The results of the pony and galloway races held at Rosebery Park yesterday are as follow:—

Flying Handicap, 4 furlongs.—J. Rook's Konig, 7st (Price), 1; Dandelion, 8st, 2; Horseshoe, 9st 3lb, 3. Four started. Betting: 6 to 4 each v Horseshoe and Dandelion, 4 to 1 v Konig, 8 to 1 Imperial. Won by a length. Time, 51 seconds.

Fourteen-one Welter Handicap, 4 furlongs.—R. Tattersby's Lawn, 8st (Connell), 1; Alice, 9st, 2; Amanda, 9st 8lb, 3. Eight started. Betting: 5 to 4 on Alice, 3 to 1 v Lawn, 4 to 1 v Amanda. Won by two lengths. Time, 53 seconds.

Novice Welter Handicap, 4 furlongs.—H. C. Andrew's Fiona, 8st 10lb (Connell), 1; Lady Churchill, 8st 12lb, 2; Church Hour, 8st 6lb, 3. Eight started. Betting: 6 to 4 v Church Hour, 2 to 1 v Rosebay, 4 to 1 each v Fiona and Sarsaparilla. Won by half a length. Time, 53 seconds.

Thirteen-three Handicap, 4½ furlongs.—H. Lipman's Planet, 7st 7lb (M'Mahon), 1; Numa, 7st, 2; The Weed, 7st 7lb, 3. Seven started. Betting: 2 to 1 on Planet, 3 to 1 v. The Weed, 6 to 1 v Golddust. Won by three-quarters of a length. Time, 1 minute 2 seconds.

Fourteen-two Handicap, 6½ furlongs.—W. C. Pritchard's Paddy Melon, walk-over.

Rosebery Park Handicap.—H. Hill's West Key, 7st 9lb (M'Connell), 1; Eva, 7st 5lb, 2; Horseshoe, 9st, 3. Eight started. Betting: 5 to 4 v. Eva, 3 to 1 v. West Key, 5 to 1 v. Goodwin, 6 to 1 v. Horseshoe. Won by a head. Time, 1 minute 28 seconds.

## GUNDAGAI RACES.

GUNDAGAI, Tuesday.

The following weights have been declared in connection with the local races:—

Spring Handicap, one mile.—Loveshot, 8st 5lb; Corollary, 8st 12lb; Dunmore, 8st 9lb; Coleman, 8st; Lord Roberts, 7st 4lb.

First Hurdle Race, about two miles.—Jungy, 10st 10lb; Colenso, 10st 4lb; Gillbird, 9st 5lb; Rosehill, 9st 3lb; Cudlebar, 9st; Duchess, 9st; Frantic, 9st.

Town Plate, seven furlongs.—Caroline, 9st 5lb; Loveshot, 9st; Corollary, 8st 6lb; Dunmore, 8st 4lb; Coleman, 6st 9lb; Easy Molly, 6st 12lb.

## QUEENSLAND TURF CLUB.

BRISBANE, Tuesday.

The following entries have been received in connection with the Q. T. Club's King's Birthday Meeting:—

King's Cup of 300 sovs., 1¼ mile.—Amor, Kinbombi, Garvin, Bridegroom, Araxes, Vulcano, Patentee, Ardon, Cistercian, Adnaw, J. R., Squire, Sirdar, Buckmaster, Retort, Elk.

South Port Handicap of 250 sovs., 1¼ mile.—Kinbombi, Garvin, Bridegroom, Araxes, Vulcano, Balfour, Patentee, Harrow, Ardon, Ivas, Adnaw, J.R., Hand Gun, Squire, Sirdar, Simbus, Ruffle, Buckmaster, Buckhurst, Battle Dream, Elk.

In both events Bridegroom and Elk require confirmation.

## GOLF.

### ROYAL MELBOURNE GOLF CLUB'S CHAMPIONSHIP MEETING.

MELBOURNE, Tuesday.

The championship meeting of the Royal Melbourne Golf Club commenced at the Sandringham links to-day, and will be continued from day to day until Thursday week. The Australian championships are federal in character, New South Wales, South Australia, and Tasmania having all sent representatives. In the doubles championship played to-day Mr. C. L. Gardiner, of Adelaide, who was to have played with Dr. Swift, was unfortunate in arriving just too late, the express having been delayed an hour on the journey. The weather to-day was perfect for golfing purposes, and the Sandringham links came in for the warm commendation of visitors, who noted the great improvements made since last year. The conditions were two rounds or 36 holes. In the morning the Geelong pair, Messrs. P. S. Anderson and S. F. Mann, alone finished square score with bogey. Both, however, were playing fine golf and only missed an exceptional score by the natural luck of the game. Mr. Mann was putting beautifully, but with exasperating luck, for on several occasions with long puts excellently judged he left the ball on the edge of the hole. In the afternoon they were several holes down at one stage, but pulled themselves together finely at the finish. Playing with them were another pair, Messrs. Riddell and Brookes, the one exceptionally safe, the other brilliant. Brookes's exertions in the tennis championship just finished had not, however, improved his chance on the links. They began the second round with two down, at the thirty-second hole were square with the Geelong pair, and a fine finish was expected. The luck turned at that point, and, losing the last four holes, they finished six down on the day. Some fine golf was played by Howden and Whyte, who were 4 down on the first round, but square with bogey at the second attempt. They took second prize, the third going to the Sydney pair, H. Macneil and E. P. Simpson, who were 5 down at the first effort and square on the second. Another successful pair were Balfour Melville and M'Intyre, who in the morning were 5 down and just 1 hole to the bad as against bogey in the afternoon. In medal play, the fact that the only three who finished square with the colonel were the prizewinners would have been taken as an indication of very even golf, but in a hole competition this is not necessarily the case. The Tasmanian pair, Messrs. Giblin and Fermandez, were playing over the links for the first time, and only managed a moderate score; while several other pairs, finding they had no chance, did not persevere to the end.

The chief event of the meeting—the individual championship of Australia—will be played on Wednesday and Thursday. It is, in a sense, a double competition, since it will settle at once both the championship of Australia and Victoria. The latter title also carries with it the Victorian Golf Cup, won last year by Mr. W. J. C. Riddell. There are 34 competitors, who will play two rounds each day. In practice some good scores have been made, Mr. Riddell equalling the record for the course by going round in 77, while bogey's score is 81. It was a singular circumstance that while just before the meeting all the cracks were lamenting the fact that they could not get supplies of the new Haskell ball, nearly every competitor produced them on going to the first tee, and the effect was apparent in some very fine driving. There is an impression that a really expert driver in what is called playing "through," that is, adopting the prescribed swing of the club and taking the ball with it, is not helped by the greater resiliency of the Haskell to the same degree as the less orthodox driver, who adopts the cricketer's plan of hitting at the ball. In the latter case it follows almost as a matter of course that, just as a cricketer can hit a gutta percha ball further than a leather one, the greater spring in the new ball must add to the length of the drive.

The scores are as follow:—

P. C. Anderson and S. F. Mann: First round, square; second round, 2 down. Total, 2 down.
H. A. Howden and L. A. Whyte: First round, 4 down; second round, square. Total, 4 down.
H. Macneil and E. P. Simpson: First round, 5 down; second round, square. Total, 5 down.
W. M'Intyre and Balfour Melville: First round, 5 down; second round, 1 down. Total, 6 down.
W. J. C. Riddell and N. Brookes: First round, 2 down; second round, 4 down. Total, 6 down.
R. W. Morton and J. B. Mason: First round, 5 down; second round, 3 down. Total, 8 down.
J. Drysdale and S. Brentnall: First round, 3 down; second round, 6 down. Total, 9 down.
T. J. Ledingham and F. A. Campbell: First round, 4 down; second round, 5 down. Total, 9 down.
Dr. Hope and F. W. Fairbairn: First round, 6d down; second round, 3 down. Total, 9 down.
S. W. Mitchell and Dr. Swift: First round, 9 down; second round, 6 down. Total, 15 down.
Ross Gore and H. G. Callaway: First round, 4 down; second round, 11 down. Total, 15 down.
H. N. Giblin and R. L. Fermandez: First round, 8 down; second round, 9 down. Total, 17 down.
J. B. Baker and W. J. Gunson: First round, 11 down; second round, 8 down. Total, 19 down.
The following finished first round only:—
W. Bruce and J. W. Begg, 8 down.
F. B. Stuart and W. Meader, 10 down.
Alister Clark and A. Nash, 12 down.
S. Macneil and C. G. Variey, 10 down.
F. Stuart and F. Thoneman, 11 down.

FORBES, Tuesday.

A golf handicap competition for David Jones and Co's. trophy will commence to-day. There are 28 entries.

## CYCLING.

### SYDNEY BICYCLE CLUB.

Next Sunday the Sydney Bicycle Club will hold a billy run to Kuring-gai Chase. Members participating will meet at the North Shore punt at 9.30 a.m. Owing to the large number of entries received for the handicap billiard tournament it has been decided to close the same on November 1. The officers of the club now on tour arrived at Bateman's Bay yesterday, and report roads good and weather fine, though rain was met with on Sunday.

### THE BURWOOD CYCLING CLUB.

The Burwood Club will hold a five-mile road race to-day over the Burwood-Bankstown course, starting on the Liverpool-road, Strathfield, at 3.45 p.m. The race is to be unpaced, and two prizes (open orders) are to be competed for. The following handicaps have been declared, viz.:—W. M'Kay, scratch; W. Deman, scratch; W. Polter 35 seconds; A. Duffy, 35; H. Stewart, 40; G. Lewis, 40; C. Winn, 40; G. Grierson, 45; M. J. Kain, 45; W. Kain, 50; W. Henderson, 55; W. Treloar, 1 minute 20 seconds.

WAGGA, Tuesday.

At a general meeting of the Wagga Cycling Club last night the trophies were presented to the winners of the recent track races as follow:—Mile Handicap, R. Moore, 1; W. Birch, 2. Five miles handicap, E. Seymour. Novice handicap, B. Bruce.

## TABLE TENNIS.

### PADDINGTON CLUB.

At a committee meeting of the Paddington Table Tennis Club held on Wednesday evening last it was decided to curtail the practice evenings. The clubrooms will therefore be open on Thursday evenings only, instead of every evening as hitherto. It was also decided to hold a ladies' handicap tournament on Wednesday, 29th instant, for which entries close on Thursday evening next, 23rd instant.

## CRICKET.

Stanmore Orora, 168 (Molesworth 51, Marich 27, Farrar 23, R. Russell-Jones 21), defeated Mosman's Kuring-gai, 37, by 131 runs at Stanmore. Farrar and Ponder bowled best for the winners.

## THE BALMAIN REGATTA.

At Monday night's meeting of the Balmain regatta committee it was decided to appoint sub-committees from both the rowing and sailing sections, to act in conjunction with the secretaries and treasurer, for the purpose of allotting the prizes for the various events in the forthcoming fixture. The following gentlemen were elected to act in that capacity:—Sailing: Messrs. A. Holmes, C. Pilfold, and W. A. Summerville. Rowing: Messrs. Jeffs, J. Goodsir, and Monaghan.

## JURORS' FEES.

His Excellency the Governor has approved of jurors who attend coroners' courts, under any precept, being paid allowances, from and after November 1 next, according to the following scale, viz.:—For each attendance of not more than four hours from hour for which summoned, 4s; for each day of attendance of more than four hours, for the first three days, 6s per day; for the fourth and every subsequent day's attendance (on the same panel) of more than four hours, 10s per day; travelling expenses for every mile of distance in excess of four miles between the juror's residence and the place at which the inquest is held (one way and for one day only), 1s.

"Sylvan" contributes to this week's "Sydney Mail" his second illustrated article on Irrigation in Victoria.—Advt.

Some interesting illustrations of Sandow at the Victoria Barracks are given in this week's "Sydney Mail."—Advt.

## ARBITRATION COURT.

### SOUTHERN MINERS' DISPUTE.

### ADDITIONAL ISSUES RAISED.

WOLLONGONG, Tuesday.

The Arbitration Court resumed its sittings at the courthouse to-day, before Mr. Justice Cohen and Messrs. D. Cruickshank and Sam. Smith, to determine the matters in dispute between the Illawarra Colliery Employees' Association as claimants and the Southern Colliery Proprietors' Association as respondents. Mr. D. Ritchie, miners' general secretary, conducted the case on behalf of the claimants, and Mr. C. G. Wade, instructed by Messrs. Curtiss and Barry, for the respondents.

Mr. D. Ritchie said he desired to table another issue, that the wheelers at South Clifton Colliery should be paid 6d per day extra from September 8 last for using safety lamps. He also desired to table an additional issue, that all miners employed under the status of deputy should be directed to join claimants' union.

His Honor did not think that the Court had power under the Act to do so.

Mr. Ritchie said that the Court had given a direction in regard to one dispute that had been before it.

His Honor said that was where a person had been improperly expelled from a union. They had no power to order such a course of action. If the Court had it might be able to exercise its power beneficially.

Mr. Ritchie said he might amend it to read that the union might have a preference. He understood the Court had power to do that.

His Honor answered in the affirmative.

Mr. Ritchie said his idea was that the matter should be entirely between the two associations.

Mr. Wade said it was an entirely different question to the first, as it was now asked that between union and non-union miners preference should be given to unionists.

His Honor said there was no issue with regard to preference to unionists.

Mr. Ritchie said he would ask for one.

Mr. Wade said that claimants had already added several additional issues since the Court commenced, and now they desired to add another.

His Honor said before that was allowed he would like to consult with his colleagues.

Mr. Wade said he would like it settled in order to prevent claimants filing a further claim after the case had been settled.

Mr. D. A. W. Robertson, general manager of the Metropolitan Colliery, Helensburgh, was further examined by Mr. Ritchie. Witness said the maintenance of safety lamps cost the company roughly about £1000 per year in ordinary working sections. There were no bands in the coal. He had noticed spars in all the collieries more or less. When the manager before him was in charge the men were on shift wages, which was unfortunate to the company, the quantity of coal got out not being so great. If the miners had been doing satisfactory work on shift wages it would not have been altered to the tonnage system. At a conference held in Wollongong after the maritime strike the miners made a demand which was not conceded by the mineowners. The miners returned to work under a different system, and made as much or more than they could have done under the system that had been refused by the management, thus showing that his judgment in the matter had been correct. He had no objection to the proceedings of that conference being placed before the Court. Witness could state without hesitation that the miners at Helensburgh were making quite as good wages as in other mines in the district. If they made an application for an advance, then the management would also put in a claim for a reduction when the miner had an exceptionally easy place to work. The Illawarra seam, as a rule, was a clean seam. Witness was further questioned as to how the yearly underground employees' output at Helensburgh compared with other collieries in the district.

To Mr. Wade: The conditions existing, such as gas and faulty places, made the working of the colliery very difficult for the management, and they had to be extra careful for the sake of the miners working in the mine.

To Mr. Ritchie: The fault had not been found with the men if they did not take down spars from the roof, and no miner had been sent home for not doing so.

William Allan, lampman at the Metropolitan Colliery, stated in reply to Mr. Wade that all the miners came to the lamproom before going down into the pit in the morning. He produced a book showing the number of men who failed to call for their lamps on a given date.

Joshua Jeffries, manager of the Metropolitan Colliery for the past two years, stated that previously he was managing at Greta for three years. He had worked as a shiftman in Stockton Colliery, and also had had good practical experience in other mines. As to difficulties with the men, only yesterday six men at the colliery took it upon themselves to stay away from work, and he discharged them. The same men were absent from work a week previously. On the 14th of the present month a miner died at the mine, and next day the colliery was thrown idle. As a consequence, the company received a telegram from the Railway Commissioners stating that if they could not give the Commissioners a better supply they would be compelled to go to Lithgow for coal. In connection with claimants' issue, re turn keeping, to give an equal number of skips daily to a miner, witness considered it could not be carried out owing to a variety of reasons.

To Mr. Cruickshank: He thought the repeated absence of miners from work without leave was due to the good wages they earned, and also to the Workmen's Club.

To Mr. Smith: He had had experience in the Northern district, and as far as he could see the earnings at Helensburgh compared favourably with Newcastle.

To Mr. Ritchie: He was not a member of the club; in fact, if he had his way he would exterminate it in 24 hours. He was not a temperance lecturer, but he had seen the drink trouble at Helensburgh, and he almost felt inclined to be one. He would do away with the drink traffic altogether if he could. He had on several occasions spoken privately to the men on their drinking habits.

Mr. Ritchie wanted to know if his Honor would rule at this stage in regard to unionists having a preference.

His Honor said it appeared to him that it was only brought forward to bring the wheelers into line, not owing to any dispute among themselves. However, he wished it to be understood that he did not deprecate it in any way.

Mr. Ritchie considered that it applied to others besides the wheelers.

His Honor: It is not a dispute arising out of anything in connection with respondents. They could only hope when the Act became better known and when unionism became more general, that the men would see their way clear to join the union.

Mr. Ritchie wanted to know if the Court would give a decision without an issue.

His Honor: I don't think it ought to. It must be made an issue.

Mr. Ritchie said he would formulate an issue by the morning.

His Honor said that with a little reason the wheelers, he thought, could be induced to join the union without any compulsion.

Mr. Ritchie said he felt sure that without such an issue difficulty would be found with stragglers.

## TRADES AND LABOUR.

### THE TAILORING TRADE.

### TAILORESSES AND EMPLOYERS.

A special meeting of the Tailoresses' Union was held at the Queen's Hall last night. The president (Mr. H. Holland) occupied the chair, and there was a large attendance.

A report upon the settlement of the dispute between the union and the Clothing Manufacturers' Association was made by the chairman, Mr. Holland explained that the appeal to the Arbitration Court on the first set of issues had been abandoned because it was recognised that they could not be dealt with in anything like a reasonable time, and as the busy season in the trade was approaching it was necessary that a settlement should be reached. At a conference with employers it was resolved to recognise certain wages and prices on the condition that the Arbitration Court applied the "common rule" to the agreement. On Monday the Court had done so, and the terms would come into operation on November 1, which was the anniversary of the big strike last year. During the 12 months the industry and work conditions of employees had improved by 50 per cent. Such a result was due to the united and unselfish manner in which the tailoresses had laboured. In future unionists would have preference for employment in the factories, and the officebearers would be permitted to collect fees during lunch hours. Under last year's agreement the minimum wage had been fixed at 17s 6d, but that rate had now been increased by 2s 6d. Altogether the members were to be congratulated on the success which their efforts had attained.

The report was unanimously adopted.

Mr. P. Strong (vice-president Tailors' Union) and Miss Rose Scott delivered congratulatory addresses.

It was resolved that the rules as revised should be submitted to the Registrar in Arbitration, and then printed in conjunction with the award of the Court.

It was resolved that Mrs. Lindsay, late assistant secretary, who recently removed to Melbourne, should be made a presentation in recognition of her endeavours on behalf of the union.

### TRADES-UNIONS' CONGRESS.

The executive of the Sydney Labour Council was engaged at the Trades' Hall last night in drawing up the business paper for the Commonwealth Trades-Unions' Congress, which is to open on November 24. Large numbers of suggestions have been made to the council by various trades organisations, and it is anticipated that many subjects of considerable interest will be discussed. When complete the paper will be submitted to the various States, each of which will have the power to attach a supplementary list of motions.

### SHORE DRIVERS AND FIREMEN.

At a meeting of the Shore Drivers and Firemen's Union, held last evening at the Trades' Hall, it was resolved to ask the employers to meet delegates in conference. Rates of wages and working conditions generally will be considered.

### HAIRDRESSERS IN CONFERENCE.

Delegates of the Master Hairdressers' Association and the Hairdressers and Wigmakers' Employees' Union met in conference at the Old Masonic Hall, York-street, last night, when the points at issue in regard to working conditions were considered. After discussion it was resolved that 59 hours should constitute a week's work, with three-quarters of an hour for dinner and half an hour for tea; and that no employee should be asked to attend to a customer entering a saloon after 7.30 p.m., and if asked that he might without prejudice to his employment object or refuse to obey orders. The conference was adjourned for a week.

## THE BURWOOD SHOOTING AFFRAY.

### CONSTABLE GALLAHER BEFORE THE COURT.

The Burwood Police Court was crowded on Monday, when the hearing of a charge preferred against Constable Samuel Gallaher, before Mr T. E. M'Nevin, P.M., and Mr. T. Alcock, J.P., of having on August 2, at Burwood, shot at Henry Johnson and Cornelius Johnson, with intent to murder, was proceeded with. Mr. J. W. Abigail appeared for the prosecutor (Cornelius Johnson), and Mr. T. Rose, instructed by Messrs. Ellis and Button, for the defendant. Evidence was given on previous days on which the case was heard. On the first day,

Cornelius Johnson, a boner, employed at the Austral Freezing Works, said that he was going home with his brother and others on the afternoon of August 2, when Constable Gallaher rode up on a bicycle, and, getting off it, arrested Henry Johnson, who refused to go with the constable. The constable then grabbed Henry, and struck him several times in the face. The two got in the middle of the road, Henry trying to pull away, Gallaher still punching him. Henry Johnson fell three or four times. Someone suggested to witness, in Gallaher's hearing, that he should stop the policeman handling his brother, and witness then endeavoured to pull Gallaher away. Gallaher then pulled out a revolver and fired it at witness, the bullet hitting him in the muscle of the left arm. Gallaher then fired another shot, which struck witness on the thigh. Witness heard two more shots, and then ran and fell in the gutter. Witness heard another shot and remembered no more until he found himself undergoing treatment in the hospital. Witness was in the hospital for three weeks, and on his release was arrested and committed for trial on a charge of inflicting grievous bodily harm upon the constable.

To Mr. Rose: Witness had been convicted three or four times for using profane and indecent language. He could carry eight or nine drinks and remain sober. Gallaher used one hand to hold Henry, while he hit him with the other in the face without any provocation. Gallaher also kicked Henry three or four times about the body. Witness only pushed at Gallaher once, and Gallaher gave no warning that he would fire. Witness had hold of Gallaher round the waist pulling him away when Gallaher fired. Witness heard his brother say "Good evening" to a young lady as she passed before the constable came up.

John Bryant, of Moonbie-street, Summer Hill, said that he saw the disturbance on August 2 about 5.30 p.m. Gallaher held Henry Johnson by the coat, and punched him for 10 minutes. When Henry fell down Cornelius Johnson went over to the two men, and the constable made a kick at him. The three separated again, and Henry Johnson sat down and cried, and then endeavoured to get away again. Gallaher again caught him, and knocked him down. Cornelius Johnson rushed at the constable, and hit him on the chest with his fist. Henry Johnson held the constable's legs. Gallaher fired five shots, all apparently at Henry Johnson. Witness gave an account of the subsequent proceedings. He saw Niel Johnson lying on his back bleeding. A lad named Turner was shot in the foot. Witness was cross-examined at length. Witness had known the Johnson's for some time. They used to visit witness's hotel.

Richard J. Dixon, a miller, of Newtown, described the struggle from the point at which he observed it. One of the Johnson's, he said, held the constable by the legs, and the other by the waist when the constable fired. He believed the first shot struck Henry Johnson. There were five shots.

Alfred Leech, a plumber, and resident of Burwood, said that after Gallaher had shot Neil Johnson Johnson caught hold of the constable. Six shots were fired by the constable altogether. The constable showed no marks of an assault upon him after the affray, but was limping, and said that he thought he had shot himself in the foot. Witness did not see the beginning of the struggle. What he saw lasted from 15 to 20 minutes.

Dr. Traill was the first witness on the second day of hearing the case. On examining Cornelius Johnson he found a bullet wound in his left shoulder and another through the upper part of the right thigh, the latter being the more serious. Henry Johnson suffered from bullet wounds and shock. One bullet wound was near his sixth rib on the left side and the other on the right side of the abdomen. There were also bruises on the knees, and the left eye was black. The bullet wounds were dangerous. Henry Johnson was discharged on September 25 from the Western Suburbs Cottage Hospital. Dr. Hinder extracted one bullet from Johnson's right side. Another bullet was found in the man's clothes.

Constable Walker produced a Webley revolver which had been carried by Constable Gallaher. Gallaher, he said, went away on the police bicycle after witness had received a telephone message at the station.

Mary Amelia Steel said that she saw Gallaher holding Henry Johnson by the arm. The two struggled together and Henry Johnson was thrown down. Neil Johnson then went over to his brother and wiped the blood from his face. Henry Johnson rose and rushed at the constable. Another struggle between Gallaher and Henry Johnson occurred and Henry Johnson was thrown. He kicked out feebly at Gallaher. Gallaher kicked Johnson hard in the side. Neil Johnson rushed at the constable and struck him on the chest while Gallaher was stooping. Henry Johnson was then holding Gallaher's legs. Gallaher drew his revolver and two shots were fired. Four more shots followed in quick succession. Henry Johnson got up and went away and Gallaher limped after him. Witness described the positions of the three men. A Miss Dacom ran into witness's place before the disturbance.

Emma Bryant, Mrs. Budgen, William Quigley, and William Treloar also gave accounts of the affray. Some fixed the duration of it at five minutes, and others at 10 or 15 minutes.

The prosecution was resumed on Monday, October 20.

Henry Johnson said that he was a butcher, and resided at Liverpool-road, Enfield. On August 2 he had been to a football match, and afterwards to the Oriental Hotel, where Constable Scott told him to go home. He went away with his brother and two men named Wheeler. About 200 yards from the hotel witness passed a young lady on the footpath, and said "Good evening" to her, afterwards apologising because he had mistaken her for someone else. Gallaher came along on a bicycle, and getting off the machine grabbed witness by the shoulder, and said, "I want you, you —— cow." Gallaher then struck witness in the eye, knocking him down. Gallaher kicked witness in the ribs and witness heard four shots go off, the third one hitting witness in one side, and the fourth in the other side. Witness got up and ran, but fell after going going about 50 yards. Witness was taken to the Western Suburbs Cottage Hospital and an operation was carried out on him about five weeks later. Witness had been fined for being drunk and disorderly on this occasion, and had been committed for trial for assaulting Gallaher with intent to cause him grievous bodily harm. Witness had been convicted of drunkenness and disorderly conduct, bad language, and assaulting the police a number of times since 1896, and had been imprisoned for four months for assaulting a person. Witness had been twice in the Callan Park Asylum, once in 1896 and once in 1900. It took six constables on one occasion to handcuff witness and another man. It generally took about a dozen of the Burwood police to handle an old man. Witness was ordered off the football ground on August 2. Witness bore the name of Peter Arcord sometimes, and was convicted under that name. When witness was taken to the receiving house once it was for riding a horse over a constable.

John Wheeler, a butcher, gave an account of the affray.

Dr. E. G. Blaxland described the injuries sustained by Niel and Henry Johnson. He also said that Gallaher appeared to have sustained a severe handling. This closed the case for the prosecution.

Mr. Rose submitted that no case had been made out, the stories told by the various witnesses for the Crown being materially at variance with one another. He contended that the law clearly laid it down that a constable was entitled more than an ordinary citizen to repel force with force in the execution of his duty, and that even if he caused the death of the one opposed to him in so doing he would be justified in the eyes of the law and in the opinion of mankind. He quoted from the police instructions, wherein it was stated that should the officer be resisted and his own life be placed in jeopardy he might then kill, not for the purpose of preventing an escape, but in self-defence.

The magistrate said that there appeared to be a case to answer, and Mr. Rose then said that he was prepared to go into the defence on Thursday. The hearing was then adjourned.

## SPANISH-AMERICAN MERINOS.

What is believed to be the first direct importation of pure Spanish American merino sheep from America since Mr. S. M'Caughey, M.L.C., brought out a number in 1886, recently arrived per the steamer Queen Wilhelmina, from New York, for Messrs. E. Webb and Co. (E. Webb and W. H. Webb), of Bathurst, who own a stud-breeding estate in the district. The shipment, which is now in Quarantine, consists of six pure bred ewes as follow:—One bred by L. S. Burwell in 1900, one by H. C. Burwell and Son in 1900, two by J. T. Stickney and Son, and two by L. E. Shattuck. These ewes are of the best strains, and are sired by heavy cutters. Most of them are the progeny of noted prize winners.

## AUSTRALIAN HISTORICAL SOCIETY.

A meeting of the committee was held at the residence of Dr. Andrew Houison, Phillip-street, on Monday evening, 20th instant, Mr. Norman Selfe (president) in the chair. A communication was received from the secretary of the Boys' Brigade, asking if the society would assist in the work of the institution by arranging for the delivery of a lecture. The syllabus for the ensuing year was discussed, and several dates were reported to have been filled. The advisability was also discussed of issuing a syllabus covering the whole of the year instead of twice a year as formerly. It was agreed that the annual conversazione be held in the month of March next, and that the retiring president deliver the annual address on the first meeting night of the new session.

## CONCERT AT HORNSBY.

The new School of Arts, Hornsby, was crowded last Saturday on the occasion of a charity concert organised by Mr. Louis Grist, at which "The Man in the Street" was performed by Miss Constance Danes, Mr. W J. Curtis, and Mr. Philip Lytton, of the Players' Club. In the concert programme a number of well-known amateurs, and pupils of Mr. Louis Grist, successfully assisted.

## Legal Notices.

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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—In Divorce (No. 4467).—Between AUGUSTUS HAMPLE, Petitioner, and ALICIA HAMPLE, Respondent.—To the abovenamed Respondent, Alicia Hample.—Take NOTICE that the said Augustus Hample has commenced a suit against you in this Honourable Court, and is applying for a dissolution of Marriage on the grounds of desertion without just cause or excuse during three years and upwards. And take notice that you are required to enter an appearance to the said suit at the proper office of this Honourable Court on or before the eighth day of November, now next, and in the event of your not doing so within the time limited or obtaining further time, the Petitioner will proceed, and the case will be heard and determined, your absence notwithstanding. A copy of the petition filed herein may be had on application to the undersigned free of charge. Dated this sixteenth day of October, 1902. S. F. BLACKMORE and SON, Solicitors for Petitioner, 67 and 69 Arcade, King-street, Sydney. For the Registrar, JOHN GEO. LEARY (L.S.), Chief Clerk in Divorce.

## To Let.

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## Houses and Land for Sale.

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MUST BE SOLD. PADDINGTON HEIGHTS, convenient to trams and 'buses.—A WELL-BUILT BRICK HOUSE, slate roof, 6 good rooms, hall, kitchen, bathroom, laundry, &c., &c.; lane at rear; TORRENS TITLE. Price £780, terms if desired. WALTER RUSH and CO., 30 Queen-street, Woollahra.

SUMMER HILL, five minutes' walk from railway station, in good locality. Detached Double-fronted Brick COTTAGE, wide hall, drawing, dining, and three bed rooms, kitchen, laundry, pantry, bathroom, &c.; tiled verandah in front, rear verandah enclosed with glass, marble mantels, tiled grates, venetian blinds, electric bells, gorgeously decorated ceilings, designed with consummate skill and good taste, good area of land. Price £650. Very easy terms if desired. INSPECT THIS BARGAIN. STANTON and SON, Summer Hill, and 109 Pitt-street.

PETERSHAM—LEWISHAM. A Great Bargain. Pretty Bay Window COTTAGE RESIDENCE, slate roof, contains 4 large and lofty rooms, kitchen and complete outoffices, land 35ft. frontage, good depth, buggy entrance. Price, £475, terms. J. K. GREIG, Petersham, opp. station. Drive to inspect. Tel., 377.

DULWICH HILL HEIGHTS. Magnificent COTTAGE RESIDENCE, built of brick, best slate roof, contains drawing rooms, each 18 x 12, 2 bedrooms 13 x 12, kitchen 14 x 12, laundry (detach), &c., verandahs front and rear, land 40 x 160, street at rear. Price, £550, easy terms, Torrens. J. K. GREIG. Drive to inspect, Petersham, opp. station.

CROYDON Heights.—Fine Allotment, 50 x 330, price only £8 . J. K. Greig, Petersham, op. station.

PETERSHAM.—A SPECIAL BARGAIN! Handsome new double-front brick COTTAGE, slate roof, hall, large drawing and dining rooms, beautifully finished with up-to-date steel ceilings, marble mantels, incandescent gaslights, &c., 3 fine lofty bedrooms, bathroom, large kitchen, and complete modern outoffices. Choice position, 5 minutes from station, buggy entrance. Torrens title, price £560. Note the terms, £75 deposit and £1 per week. HARVEY and CO., Tel., 62. Petersham, right at station. Offices open till 6 on Wednesdays and Saturdays.

ANOTHER CHANCE. A Charming COTTAGE, near station, double front, well built of brick, slate roof, hall, 5 large rooms, bathroom, pantry, laundry, &c., all modern conveniences, splendid block of land 40 x 135, buggy entrance, Torrens, price £475, easy terms. A home or investment. HARVEY and CO., Tel., 62. Petersham, right at the station.

PENSHURST.—New double-fronted COTTAGE, handy station, in splendid position, delightful views, 6 large rooms, wide hall, kitchen with stove, bathroom, laundry, bow window, verandah front and back, glassed-in, grape vines, vegetable garden, 30 choice young fruit trees, fowlhouses, &c., picket fence in front, land 250 by 200 ft. deep, Torrens title. Price £450. H. W. DUDLEY, Estate Agent, Tram Terminus, Marrickville.

MARRICKVILLE.—Brick COTTAGE, close tram, slate roof, 4 rooms, hall, kitchen, stove, bath, laundry, gas, sewer, tiled verandah, &c. Price £240 cash. H. W. DUDLEY, Agent, Marrickville.

DULWICH HILL.—Villa RESIDENCE, double front, just completed, 1 minute of tram, 7 large rooms, wide hall, kitchen, stove, sink, bath, linen-press, pantry, laundry, gas, sewer, all modern improvements. Price £675. H. W. DUDLEY, Agent, Marrickville.

WAVERLEY.—Lovely Cottage HOME in nice select position and close trams, 6 rooms, hall, bath, kitchen, laundry (fitted with patent w.c., &c.); land 40 x 216, freehold. Price only £650, easy terms. ALLDIS and CO., Estate Agents, Charing-cross, Waverley.

CHEAP Building Allotments at Waverley, fronting the principal streets, and close to tram, 50 x 120. Title Torrens. ALLDIS and CO., Charing-cross, Waverley.

STANMORE.—Nice little Investment, pair of new Cottages, superior finish, close to tram, let 15s each. Price £625.

NEWTOWN.—New Cottage, just finished, 4 rooms and all conveniences, will bear strictest inspection, Torrens. Price £360, easy terms.

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SUMMER HILL. A snug little Investment, 2 brick COTTAGES, with slate roof, each containing 4 rooms, kit., bath, &c.; rents £62 per an. Price £550. J.A. SOMERVILLE and CO., 4 Hercules-st., Ashfd.

ASHFIELD.—Brick Cottage, hall, 4 rooms, kitchen, pantry, laundry, workshop, nice block of land; Price only £350. Torrens. J. A. SOMERVILLE and CO., 4 Hercules-street, Ashfield.

DULWICH HILL, Splendid Position.—A Gentleman's COTTAGE RESIDENCE, standing in tastefully laid-out grounds, half an acre, containing wide entrance hall, 8 large and lofty rooms, and first-class offices, stabling, &c.; owner leaving the district; to be sold cheap. Apply to HENRY W. WILLGOSS, 16 Glebe-road.

CITY, Bourke-street.—4 Houses, £160 p. a., £1500. CITY, Shepherd-street.—5 Cottages, £70 p. a., £630. REDFERN.—Abercrombie-st.—2 Houses, £57 p. a., £550. HENRY W. WILLGOSS, 16 Glebe-road.

NEWTOWN.—13 Cottages, £390 p. a., £3800. NEWTOWN.—4 Cottages, £145 p. a., £1400. STANMORE.—4 Houses, £155 p. a., £1700. HENRY W. WILLGOSS, 16 Glebe-road.

FOR SALE, FREEHOLDS and LEASEHOLDS, good City Properties. Excellent opportunity for those seeking Sound Investment and Profitable Returns. Also some Splendid City and Suburban BUILDING BLOCKS. I. HIMMELHOCH, Park and Castlereagh streets, Sydney.

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TRUSTEES AND COUNTRY BUYERS.—Sterling Investment in the favourite Eastern Suburb, within TWOPENNY SECTION.—Attractive Terrace of 7 WELL-BUILT HOUSES, all excellent tenants, no arrears, total rents £278 p.a., title Torrens, all in FIRST-CLASS CONDITION, and up-to-date in every respect. Price £2750; £1500 can remain at 4½. Equity £1250 shows 14 p.c. net. This is quite an exceptional opportunity, owner being compelled to realise on this and other property in Sydney. For photographs and all particulars apply C. K., 135 Forbes-street, Woolloomooloo.

AT BLACKTOWN JUNCTION, 1 mile from station, 80-acre FARM, good brick Residence, servants' quarters, cultivation and grass paddocks, fruit trees, outoffices, permanent water; must sell at once, no reasonable offer refused. C. TAMSETT, Blacktown; or MOBBS and HUNT, Parramatta.

ONE to 12¼ acres splendid high LAND, 9 miles from Sydney, good road, city water, cheap, £25 per acre. Apply S. W. PARSONS, Victoria Arcade; or A. HAINKE, Liverpool-road, Enfield.

CHEAP LAND, North Botany, Lauriston Park Estate, from £15 per lot., £1 deposit, bal. 3 years. Torrens title. BROTCHIE BROS., Coward-street, N. Botany.

FOR SALE, improved Freehold BLOCK, 90 x 140, Balmain. J. Plumb, Equitable-building, George-st.

BALMAIN.—Good Cottage PROPERTY, showing 10 per c. clear, £1000. J. Y. Mills, 19 P.O.-chbrs., Pitt-st.

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FOR SALE, waterside pleasure resort, COTTAGE, furniture, piano, cow, poultry, boats, steam launch, 20 acres, Torrens title, £475 the lot. Z. A., Herald Office, Hunter-street, city.

BALMAIN, near FERRY and TRAM.—TERRACE four new Brick Houses, rents £114 8s; price £1050, PERFECT GIFT. W. J. LAWS, Auctioneer, 365 Darling-street, Balmain.

PETERSHAM.—For SALE, 2 mins. from station, 2 semi-detached HOUSES, in perfect order, each 4 rooms, kitchen, laundry, &c., land nearly 200ft. deep. Will pay 10 per cent. 20 Imperial Arcade.

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NORTH SYDNEY.—Good Invest.—3 W.B. Cotts., nr. ferry, let 7s 6d, 8s 6d, cheap. Freeman, Woollahra.

FACTORY Site or Builders' Block.—The best Block of Building Land in Enmore, three frontages, 254ft. to Edgeware-road, Torrens title. J. KINGSBURY, Hercules-street, Ashfield.

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EMPTY Piano CASES, zinc lined, good, from 6s each. Elvy and Co., 329 George-st.

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WANTED, kind Person to care a Baby Boy, 14 days. Nurse Fender, 457 Dowling-st., Moore Park.

PROGRESSIVE Lyceum.—Social and Pound Night, Oct. 27, 8 sharp. Prizes. Good prog. Queen's Hall.

## Auction Sales.

PRODUCE SALES.

SALES BY AUCTION will be held TO-DAY by the Australasian Mortgage and Agency Co., Ltd., John Bridge and Co., Ltd., Dalgety and Co., Ltd., Goldsbrough, Mort, and Co., Ltd., Harrison, Jones, and Devlin, Ltd., Hill, Clark, and Co., Pastoral Finance Association, Ltd., and Winchcombe, Carson, and Co., Ltd., as under:—

MARSUPIAL SKINS, at the Wool Exchange, Macquarie-place, at 9.30 a.m. OPOSSUMSKINS, at 2 p.m.

LEATHER.—At the Stores of Harrison, Jones, and Devlin, Ltd., and Winchcombe, Carson, and Co., Ltd., at 10.30 a.m.

THE NEW ZEALAND LOAN and MERCANTILE AGENCY COMPANY, Limited, will sell by public auction, at the Royal Exchange, Bridge-street, THIS DAY, Wednesday, At 9.30 a.m., Marsupial Skins. At 2 p.m., Opossumskins.

THE CO-OPERATIVE WOOL and PRODUCE CO., Ltd., will sell to-day, at the Saleroom, Macquarie-place, FURRED SKINS.

ELLIS and CO. have been instructed by Mr. James North to sell by auction, on the Premises, West Botany and Bestic streets, Rockdale, THIS DAY, Wednesday, at ¼ past 2, 60 Fowls, 2 Sulkies, Butcher's Cart, Spring Van, Dogcart, Grocers' Cart, Harness, Horse, Wire Netting, Galvanised Iron, Blacksmith's Anvil, and Sundries.

INGLIS AND SON'S HORSE BAZAAR.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON will sell by auction, at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 10.30 a.m. sharp, Vans, Springcarts, Horses and Harness, Draught Horses, Tipdrays, Horses and Harness. And at 11.30 a.m., Horses and Vehicles of every description. Specially advertised. Tel., 1331.

FIRST-CLASS SULKY TURNOUT.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 11.30 a.m., Bay Gelding, quiet and reliable in harness, with Sulky and Harness, in first-class condition.

BROUGHAM CAB TURNOUT.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 11.30 a.m., Bay Gelding, harness trial, with Brougham Cab (No. 129), built by Moore, and Harness, in splendid repair.

PARK PHAETON TURNOUT AND BUGGY.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 11.30 a.m., Black Mare, broken to sad. and harness, Park Phaeton, and Harness; also Corning Pianobox Buggy, in good order.

TO STUDMASTERS, RACING MEN, AND OTHERS.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, THIS DAY (Wednesday), at 12 o'clock, VENUE, chestnut horse, 5 years, by Goldsbrough from Mascara. See Stud Book. GOLDATHA, brown horse, 5 years, by Goldsbrough from Agatha; also TOMMY MOORE, bay gelding (steeplechaser), by Cranbrook out of Lalla Rookh. Full particulars at sale.

TO RACING MEN AND OTHERS.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Mr. G. A. Church, Bringelly, to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock, MIDNIGHT, Black Gelding, 6 yrs., 16 hands, by Manton—Mornie, untried. Full pedigree at sale.

WELL-BRED SADDLE AND HARNESS HORSE.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Mr. M. Ridden, Kellyville, to sell by auction at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 12 O'CLOCK, Chestnut Gelding, 6 yrs., 15½hds., by Young Yattington, broken to saddle and harness, a first-class Hackney and good in harness.

2 SUPERIOR TROTTING HORSES. 2

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions to sell by auction at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock, LUCY, Bay Mare, by Harold Childe, broken to sad. and harness. THURLOW, Brown Gelding, by Rebel Childe, broken to sad. and harness. Both very fast and worthy of special attention.

TROTTING MARE BY VAN CLEVE.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Mr. H. Beckett to sell by auction at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock, Trotting Mare, by Van Cleve, dam H mesty mare, very fast and a maiden.

HIGH-CLASS SADDLE AND HARNESS HORSE.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Mr. E. Keys to sell by auction at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock, KANGAROO II., Bay Gelding, broken to sad. and harness, very quiet, a splendid Lady's Hackney and a first-class Buggy Horse.

EXTRA HEAVY DRAUGHT GELDING.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock, 1 Extra H. D. Gelding, broken in, stanch worker, in good condition.

ANGUS REVERSIBLE PHAETON.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 11.30 a.m., Hooded Phaeton, reversible, by Angus, in good order.

WELL-BRED HACKNEY.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Mr. D. Senior to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock, Bay Gelding, by Lord Cochrane, 6 yrs., thoroughly broken to sad., good paces.

IMPORTANT SALE of 42 HIGH-CLASS PUREBRED JERSEY CATTLE, also 6 CHOICE YOUNG SHORTHORN BULLS (milking strain), to be held at INGLIS AND SON'S STOCK SALE-YARDS, 827 GEORGE-STREET, OPPOSITE the RAILWAY STATION, on WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON, OCT. 29th, at 2.30.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Mr. W. LARKIN, Picton, and Mr. T. W. BOARDMAN, Picton, to sell by auction as above. For full particulars, see last Saturday's "Herald." The Cattle will be on View the DAY PREVIOUS to Sale. CATALOGUES GIVING FULL PEDIGREES OF THE ABOVE ARE NOW READY, AND CAN BE HAD AT THE OFFICE OF THE AUCTIONEERS, OR WILL BE FORWARDED BY POST ON APPLICATION. WILLIAM INGLIS and SON, Pedigree Stock Salesmen. Head Office: 244 Pitt-street, Sydney.

DRAUGHT COLTS AND FILLIES.

CAMPERDOWN YARDS, THIS DAY, 22nd OCT., AT 3 P.M.

PITT, SON, and BADGERY, Limited, will sell for R. Binnie, Esq., as above, 4 Draught Colts and Fillies from his Macrassie stud, 1 Draught Mare, broken to harness, 1 Saddle Mare, good sort, bred by Mr. George Loder.

M. DE LISSA AND CO., Auctioneers, Valuators, &c., 556 GEORGE-STREET (opposite St. Andrew's Cathedral). CASH ADVANCES made against every description of Merchandise, Household Furniture, Pianos, and Effects pending Auction or Private Sale. LIBERAL TERMS of Credit to Purchasers. VALUATIONS made and OUTSIDE SALES conducted, with advances if required, and QUICK RETURNS. ALL COMMUNICATIONS promptly attended to. Telephone No., 859.

THIS DAY.

JOHN P. LISTER will sell by auction, at his Rooms, 247A Pitt-street, The Unredeemed Clothing and Jewellery pledged with Mr. T. SUTTON, of George-street West. At 11 o'clock, Clothing, Boots, Blankets, &c. At 3 o'clock, Jewellery.

MONSTER SALE, SAWMILL and PLANT, &c., as a going concern, On TUESDAY, Nov. 25th.

JAMES HEALEY will sell by public auction The Rosenthall Sawmills, situated in the thriving district of GLEN INNES. Full particulars on application to JAMES HEALEY, Auctioneer, Glen Innes.

THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock, At the ROOMS, 417 PITT-STREET, HAYMARKET, SALE BY AUCTION of PIANOS and HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE. Dining-room Suites, Cedar Ex. Dining Table, Sideboards 4ft. and 5ft., Drawing-room Suite, Carpets, Pictures, Bedroom Suites, Wardrobes, Combination Chests; Single, Three-quarter, and Double Bedsteads; 5 x 3 Brass-mtd. Cot, Chair Beds, Tables, Chairs, Couches, &c., &c.

JOHN J. PITT will sell as above. The Pianos by Waldemar, Boettner, Strauss, Wolffe, &c.) will be offered at 12 o'clock sharp.

THIS DAY, at 11 a.m.

LEAN will sell by auction, on the Premises, Mimosa-street, Bexley, off Forest-road, near Bexley Post-office, Household Furniture, Bedsteads, Bedding, Pair Toilets, Tables, Chairs, Oilcloth, Sewing Mach., Kitchen Utensils, Sundries, and small quantity of Poultry. Owner leaving colony. NO RESERVE.

THIS DAY, at 10.30.

MIDDLETON and CO. will sell by auction, at Hay and George streets, Haymarket, Large Quantity First-class Second-hand CLOTHING, Men's, Women's, and Children's; also Superior FURNITURE and Effects. NO RESERVE.

THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 22, at half-past 2 o'clock.

GENUINE CLEARING-OUT SALE. Stock of a Coachbuilder. Owing to Expiration of Lease of Premises Every Line Must be Sold.

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| 2 Spring Vans | 1 Square Box Cart |
| 1 Spring Cart | 1 Pagnet Cart |
| 2 Bent-shaft Sulkies | 1 Tray Sulky |

1 Long-shaft Sporting Sulky; also Horse and Harness.

H. LEVY has received instructions from Mr. W. B. MELLIS (owing to expiration of lease of premises) to sell by auction at 155 Glebe-road, Glebe, The whole of his stock of New Vehicles, Coachbuilders' Materials, Horse and Harness. TOTALLY UNRESERVED. Auctioneer's office: 155 Regent-street, city. Tel., 19 Glebe.

AUCTION SALE AT THE CARRINGTON GROUNDS, BOURKE-STREET, SURRY HILLS. THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY, October 22, at 3 p.m.

500 Sheets 24-gauge GALV. IRON, 6 to 8 feet, equal to new
1000 feet ARRIS RAILS
30-15 6 x 6 H'WOOD
21-12 6 x 2¼, 4 x 1½, 6 x 4 H'WOOD
6000 MACHINE BRICKS.

JAMES COWAN has received instructions to conduct the above sale, in lots to suit buyers. TERMS CASH. NO RESERVE.

IMPORTANT SALE BUILDING MATERIALS. Demolition of Extensive Brick Cottage of 16 rooms, together with Stables and Other Outbuildings. SALE BY AUCTION FRIDAY NEXT, at 11 o'clock. On the Site, CASTLEREAGH-STREET, opposite Masonic Hall, between Liverpool and Goulburn streets, comprising 3000 SLATES of superior quality, 40,000 SANDSTOCK BRICKS, good lot, 300 perch of RUBBLE FREESTONE, Handsome MARBLE MANTELPIECES and REGISTER GRATES, size grate 40 x 40, 6.8 x 2.8 Panel Doors, Box Frames and Sashes, 200 Sheets A1 Galvanised Iron, 7, 8, 9 ft. lengths, 5000ft. 6 x 2½ Hardwood Joists, 5000ft. 4 x 2, 3 x 2 Rafters, 2000ft. 6 x 1 Hardwood Flooring, Skirtings, Architraves, W.C. Cistern and Pan, New, and 3000ft. Battens and Sundries.

BARNETT AND CO. will sell by auction as above, WITHOUT RESERVE. Speculators, Builders, and Others Attend.

To Drapers, Clothiers, Country Storekeepers, &c. In our ROOMS, 7 Wynyard-street, THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY, at 11. Consignments SPRING and SUMMER GOODS. Manufacturer's Stock of Indent Sample Goods. 1 Case Sample Ladies' Skirts.

M. GOULSTON and CO. will sell THIS DAY.

PYMBLE, Bellevue Estate.—Blocks, ¼ ac. to 2 ac., close to Railway Station, on Ground, NEXT SAT. R. and W., Ltd.

TO BOOKSELLERS, STATIONERS, DEALERS, FANCY GOODS and MUSICAL INSTRUMENT BUYERS. UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION at THE ROOMS, 12 BARRACK-STREET, THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 22, at 11 o'clock sharp. ON ACCOUNT OF THOSE CONCERNED. Removed to the Rooms for Convenience of Sale. Stock comprising—Ladies' WORKBOXES, WRITING DESKS, PHOTO ALBUMS, SCRAP ALBUMS, ACCORDEONS, CONCERTINAS, VIOLINS, BOWS, VIOLIN CASES, MOUTH ORGANS, Ladies' WORKBASKETS, Gents.' DRESSING CASES, FANCY ENGRAVINGS, PICTURES, &c. BOOKS by best authors; Educational Works, School Books, Picture Books, Music Books, Music Folios, Copy Press Books, Daybooks, Cash and Account Books. Also, Vocal, Violin, Piano, and Organ MUSIC, FANCY CLOCKS, CLUBS, and DUMB-BELLS. General Assortment FANCY GOODS, CUTLERY, &c.

A. TRAVERSI AND CO. will sell as above, at their Rooms, 12 Barrack-street, THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY, Oct. 22, at 11 o'c. sharp. WITHOUT RESERVE.

TO CLOTHING MANUFACTURERS, WAREHOUSEMEN, DEALERS, and OTHERS. AT THE ROOMS, 12 BARRACK-STREET, TO-MORROW, THURSDAY, OCTOBER 23, At 11 O'CLOCK SHARP. On Account of those Concerned. EXTENSIVE CONSIGNMENT of WOOLLENS, WOOLLENS, WOOLLENS, comprising FANCY WORSTED SUITINGS, TWEEDS, SERGES, CORKSCREWS, SERGERETTES, FANCY TWEED SUITINGS, ASSAM SILKS, &c.

A. TRAVERSI AND CO. will sell as above, at their Rooms, 12 Barrack-street, TO-MORROW, THURSDAY, October 23, at 11 o'clock Sharp.

IMPORTANT NOTICE.—COACHBUILDERS, FARRIERS, DEALERS, and OTHERS. In the Assigned Estate of JAMES LEAVERS, Bishop-street, Burwood. AUCTION SALE of STOCK-IN-TRADE and PLANT of COACHBUILDER'S ESTABLISHMENT. On the Premises, close to Station. TO-MORROW, THURSDAY, 23rd OCTOBER, at 2 p.m.

STRONGMAN AND WATSON have received instructions from A. Borchard, Esq., Trade Assignee and Accountant, to sell as above. The principal lines are:—1 New Butter Cart, 1 Sulky Body, 1 S.H. Hansom Cab, Lot Paints, Varnishes, &c., Body, Pole and Bars, Buggy Rods, Lot Shafts, Buggy Springs, Spokes, Nuts and Bolts, Hubs, Wheels, Assorted Timber, Rail Rims, Iron, Cart Frame, &c., Double Block Bellows, Anvil, Vyce, Stocks and Dies, Drilling Machine, Grindstone, Tyre Bender, Tyre Platform, 3 Benches, Leather Sewing Machine, and Sundries. INSPECTION INVITED. Also, the Equity of Redemption of the Residence and Business Premises, 66ft. to Bishop-street, and depth 112ft. along a 20ft. lane at side. Title, Torrens. IMPROVEMENTS. Two-story Brick House, 5 rooms and offices, gas, sewerage, various Workshops and Buildings. Splendid opportunity for a Carriage Builder.

SUMMER HILL. IN BANKRUPTCY. Estate William Henry Pendley. THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY, at 11 o'clock. AT THE SKATING RINK, CARLTON-CRESCENT, SUMMER HILL. (Removed to these premises for convenience of sale.) Under instructions from WILLIAM HARRINGTON PALMER, Esq., Official Assignee. HIGHLY ATTRACTIVE IMPORTANT and UNRESERVED SALE by PUBLIC AUCTION of the Whole of the VALUABLE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS, comprising DINING-ROOM FURNITURE, IN BEST AMERICAN WALNUT. EXCELLENT DRAWING-ROOM FURNITURE. VALUABLE BIRD PAINTINGS by CAYLEY. BLACK AND WHITE PAINTINGS, by PEEBLES. Water Colour Drawings, Etchings, Crayons. Valuable and Large OIL PAINTING, Attributed to LANDSEER, "THE HAWKING PARTY." SOLID HALL FURNITURE. FINE LARGE ENGRAVINGS. The CONTENTS of SEVERAL Well Furnished Bedrooms. KITCHEN and COOKING UTENSILS. GAS STOVE, SCALES, and WEIGHTS. LADY'S COLUMBIA BICYCLE. Milking COW.

C. F. W. LLOYD will sell by public auction, at Summer Hill, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock, the above. TERMS CASH. ABSOLUTELY UNRESERVED. Offices: 182 Phillip-street.

TO COUNTRY BUYERS, RETAILERS, BROKERS. THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY, 22nd OCTOBER, AT 11 A.M. FOR POSITIVE SALE BY AUCTION, at the Rooms, 167 CLARENCE-STREET, near King-street. With all Faults, if any, 20 PACKAGES CHINA TEA. And On account of those concerned. 50 DRUMS FIREPROOF CYANITE COMPOSITION PAINT, 60 COILS CANVAS HOSE, 2¼, 1½, 10 BOXES CURRY POWDER, 20 CASES WAX VESTAS, 10 HOGSHEADS CUT TUMBLERS, 10 CASES AUSTRIAN CHAIRS, No. 14. Also, STOCK OF GENERAL GROCERIES, removed from Rockdale. TEAS, WINES, and SPIRITS. Also, 1000 NICKEL WATCHES, 20 GROSS DOMINOES, INVOICE OF E. P. WARE. 1 TRICYCLE, for PARCEL DELIVERY.

LAWSON, HENDERSON, AND CO. will conduct the sale by auction, at their Rooms, as above, THIS DAY, at 11 a.m.

TO-MORROW, OCTOBER 23rd, at 11 a.m. IMPORTANT AND ATTRACTIVE AUCTION SALE of WELL-SELECTED STOCK OF FURNITURE. On the PREMISES, 37 BROADWAY, GLEBE. Under Instructions from Messrs. BENNETT and CO., consequent upon the EXPIRATION of the LEASE. PLATE-GLASS SHOP FRONT, Copying Press, LONDON EXCELSIOR F.P. SAFE, Office Partitions, HANDSOME 5ft. 6in. SIDEBOARD, Enclosed Cabinet, Linen and Cutlery Drawers, Bevelled Plate-glass Mirrors, WALNUT 6ft. 3-Wing WARDROBE, Mirror Door, FIVE BEDROOM SUITES, Hall Stands, LEATHER DINING-ROOM SUITES, Singer and Wheeler and Wilson Sewing Machines, Combination and other CHESTS DRAWERS, in fine condition, First-class Overmantels and Pier Glasses, About 20 Rolls Superior Linoleum and Oilcloth, SOLID WALNUT DRAWING-ROOM CABINET, About 60 Austrian Chairs, in first-class order, DRAWING-ROOM SUITES in Tapestry and Plush, Dining, Kitchen, and Toilet Tables and Mirrors, A very large Assortment of DOUBLE and SINGLE BEDSTEADS, fitted with Wire Mattresses and Bedding, Kitchen Dressers and Safes, Gas Stoves, Washstands and Ware, Chair Matting, Kitchen and Laundry Utensils, quantity of Household Requisites, and Useful Sundries.

A. G. JENKINS has been instructed to sell, as above, on THURSDAY.

The attention of Buyers is invited to the fact that Messrs. Bennett and Co. having decided to VACATE the PREMISES, they are determined to POSITIVELY CLEAR the STOCK. The SALE will therefore be WITHOUT RESERVE.

NEUTRAL BAY. PUBLIC AUCTION SALE, on the Premises, BUNGAMBA, 27 UNDERCLIFFE-STREET, TO-MORROW, THURSDAY, 23rd OCTOBER. HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS, Comprising DRAWING, DINING and BEDROOM FURNITURE, including Overmantel, Occasional Tables, Hall Furniture, splendid Nickel-plated Double Bedstead, Bedroom Suite, Garden Tools, &c., Kitchen Furniture, Utensils, &c., &c.

H. W. HORNING AND CO., Auctioneers, 58 Pitt-street, city, will sell as above by Public Auction.

THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY, at 3 O'CLOCK, on the Premises, 219 COWPER-STREET, WAVERLEY, close to the Charing Cross. IMPERATIVE UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION under instructions from the Trustees, in the Assigned Estate of Mr. JOHN KELLY, Produce Merchant. THE ENTIRE STOCK-IN-TRADE AND PLANT, &c., consisting of 3 bags Corn, 8 bags Oats (whole and crushed), bales Straw, Oilcakes, Horsebeans, Neatsfoot Oil, Poultry Spice and Grit, GREY MARE, about 7 yrs., thoroughly sound and staunch, 1 Dray, 1 Cart, and 2 sets Harness, several sets of Avery Scales and Weights (14lb. to 1cwt.), Hand Trucks, Good Cooking Stove, and lot Sundries. The PREMISES are To LET at a low rental to an approved Tenant.

ALLDIS AND CO. have been favoured with instructions from the Trustees in the assigned estate of Mr. John Kelly to sell by Public Auction Without Reserve as above. Terms cash.

AUCTIONEERS' OFFICES: Charing Cross, Waverley.

MITCHELL and CRANSTON will sell THIS DAY, at 55 Caroline-st., Redfern, at 9.30, Furniture, &c.

LINDFIELD.—Heathdin House and 1¼ acre, also 1¼ acre Blocks to be sold next Sat. Hardie and Gorman.

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## Auction Sales.

THE SYDNEY COFFEE PALACE, SIR JOHN YOUNG'S CRESCENT (adjacent to St. Mary's Cathedral).

POSITIVE AND ABSOLUTE SALE BY AUCTION THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY, 22nd OCTOBER, AT ELEVEN O'CLOCK A.M.

The Whole of the FURNITURE and APPOINTMENTS.

TO BE SOLD IN LOTS, positively WITHOUT ANY RESERVE.

THE PREMISES have over sixty rooms, all of which are furnished throughout with substantial and useful effects.

JAMES R. LAWSON, AUCTIONEER, LAWSON, CARO, and CO., LTD., will sell by auction, as instructed, as above.

ON VIEW PRIOR TO SALE.

ARTISTIC FURNITURE.

IMPORTANT AND ATTRACTIVE SALE BY AUCTION at THE AUCTION ROOMS of LAWSON, CARO, AND CO., LTD., 128-130 PITT STREET (near King-street).

On FRIDAY, 24th OCTOBER, AT ELEVEN O'CLOCK A.M.

Under instructions from MR. THOMAS HARRIS, Art Cabinet Manufacturer.

A grand assortment of High-class Furniture, manufactured from specially selected and seasoned timbers, and highly finished.

HANDSOME COMPLETE SUITES for DINING-ROOMS, DRAWING-ROOMS, and BEDROOMS.

THE DESIGNS and MANUFACTURE and FINISH of the Furniture made by Mr. THOMAS HARRIS are of high standard. Ladies and Gentlemen about to furnish will be afforded an excellent opportunity of securing artistic Modern Household Appointments.

VERY HANDSOME SIDEBOARDS, manufactured in SOLID WALNUT and FUMIGATED OAK.

TELESCOPE DINING TABLES, extending 10ft., 8ft., with patent screws and spare leaves.

DINING-ROOM SUITES, Upholstered in Morocco Leather.

MASSIVE HALLSTANDS, with Marble Tops and Bevelled Mirror Backs.

DRAWING-ROOM FURNITURE, including LOUIS XV. CABINETS IN ROSEWOOD. CHIPPENDALE PALM STANDS. LADIES' WRITING TABLES.

LOUIS XV. DRAWING-ROOM SUITES, upholstered in Rich Silk and Damask and Silk Brocade.

DIVAN and LOUNGE CHAIRS. RECEPTION and OCCASIONAL CHAIRS.

LOUIS XIV. DRAWING-ROOM TABLE, A Facsimile of the Table made for the Commonwealth Exhibition, and now at the Art Gallery.

DRAWING-ROOM FITMENTS, in Enamelled White and Gold. MANTEL and OVERMANTEL, ARCH FITMENT FOR FOLDING DOORS, OVERDOORS, Palmstands, Mantelpieces, &c., &c.

BEDROOM SUITES, in SOLID WALNUT and CHIPPENDALE ROSEWOOD.

CATALOGUES can be obtained at the OFFICES OF THE AUCTIONEERS, and will be posted on application.

Also, THE FURNITURE and APPOINTMENTS of A PRIVATE RESIDENCE, removed from Elizabeth Bay for convenience of sale.

FINE CHINA, GLASS, and ELECTROPLATE.

VALUABLE PIANOFORTE, Full-sized Upright Grand, in Ebonised Case, by VOGEL,

A remarkably fine instrument, possessing rare qualities of tone and touch.

BRASS BEDSTEADS, Latest Designs, with best Bedding, complete.

And A VERY EXTENSIVE COLLECTION of GENERAL HOUSEHOLD EFFECTS, in every Excellent Order and of first-class Quality.

WITHOUT ANY RESERVE.

JAMES R. LAWSON, AUCTIONEER, LAWSON, CARO, and CO., Ltd., has been instructed to sell by auction High-class Furniture and Household Effects, at the Rooms, 128 Pitt-street, as above.

ON VIEW TO-MORROW, THURSDAY, from 9 o'clock a.m.

WOOLLAHRA.

IMPORTANT and TOTALLY UNRESERVED SALE by PUBLIC AUCTION, at No. 3 CAMBERVILLE-TERRACE, NELSON-STREET, near QUEEN-STREET, WOOLLAHRA.

THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY, OCT. 22, at 11 o'clock.

GLASSWARE, CROCKERY, CHINA. Handsome DINING FURNISHINGS. 6 Oak DINING CHAIRS, Electro Table Plate. Blackwood DINING TABLE, Brass Fenders. Handsome Solid Walnut OVERMANTEL.

Very Fine AUCHER FRERES PIANOFORTE in tip-top order and condition. Charming DRAWING-ROOM FURNISHINGS. TAPESTRY CARPET SQUARE Bordered.

Handsome 4ft. 6in. Solid Walnut SIDEBOARD. Several Pieces of A1 LINOLEUM. Solar DINNER WAGGON.

Luxurious COUCH and 2 DIVAN CHAIRS, upholstered in Eastern Saddlebags.

SOLID WALNUT HALL STAND.

4ft. 6in. and 4ft. 6in. Brass-mounted Half-tester BEDSTEADS, complete with Wireland Kapok Mattresses. Superior Pine BEDROOM SUITE of 3 pieces. COMBINATION CHESTS, TOILET WARE. SEALE SEWING MACHINE.

Wire-wove COUCH, &c., 5ft. 6in. SIDEBOARD. LAUNDRY and KITCHEN REQUISITES.

DALWOOD AND CO., LTD., have received instructions from F. A. HARDY, who is leaving this State for Melbourne, to conduct this HIGHLY IMPORTANT SALE.

WITHOUT ANY RESERVE.

HIGHLY IMPORTANT SALE of the SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNISHINGS and APPOINTMENTS of a BIJOU RESIDENCE.

At our COMMODIOUS SALEROOMS, 115 BATHURST-STREET, TO-MORROW (Thursday), OCTOBER 23rd, at 11 a.m.

DRAWING, DINING, and BEDROOM FURNISHINGS of SUPERIOR MANUFACTURE and EXCELLENT FINISH.

DALWOOD AND CO., LTD., have received positive instructions to conduct this IMPORTANT SALE.

ABSOLUTELY WITHOUT RESERVE.

THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY, 22nd OCTOBER, At the CITY MART, 8 SPRING-STREET, at 11 a.m.

Under Instructions from ALEX. MACKNIGHT, Esq., in consequence of his early departure for Europe.

IMPORTANT SALE BY AUCTION VERY SUPERIOR FURNITURE AND GENERAL HOUSEHOLD EFFECTS, including

Massive Walnut DRAWING-ROOM SUITE. Carved Oak Cabinet, Carved Oak Escritoire. Carved Oak BOOKCASE of best quality, manufactured by J. and W. Jeffrey and Co., Liverpool and London. Carpets, Choice Water Colours and Engravings.

DINING-ROOM FURNITURE—Mahogany Telescope Table, Spare Leaves, Patent Screw; Carved Oak Sideboard and Chairs to match.

Valuable COTTAGE PIANOFORTE, by Brard.

Walnut BEDROOM SUITES, BEDSTEADS, BEDDING, &c.

ELECTROPLATE.

HAND-PAINTED GLASS and CHINA PLAQUES. And a large number of Books.

FRASER, UTHER, AND CO. have received instructions to sell by auction the above.

THURSDAY, 23rd October, at the CITY MART, 8 Spring-street, at 11.30 a.m.

FIRST LINE TO BE OFFERED.

Ex SEALDA: 31 Bags SAGO. 33 Bags TAPIOCA.

FRASER, UTHER, AND CO. will sell by auction the above.

TO PRIVATE BUYERS, DEALERS, AND OTHERS. IMPERATIVE AND UNRESERVED SALE.

HYAM HAINES has received instructions to sell by public auction THIS DAY, Wednesday, at 11 a.m., on the Premises, 60 Fitzroy-street, Surry Hills, HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS of a six-roomed House.

Suites, Overmantels, Sideboard, Ornaments, Pictures, Linoleum, Carpets, Washstands, Lino and other Tables, A. Furniture, Clocks, Glassware, E.S. Ware, Cutlery, Fenders, Wardrobe, Duchess Toilets, Drawers, W. and Ware, Commode, Bedsteads and Bedding, Mirrors, Quantity of Miscellaneous Furniture, Laundry Utensils, Sundries, &c.

Also, Scotch Collie Dog, 2 years old. NO RESERVE. TERMS, CASH.

Auctioneer's Offices, 243 Pitt-street.

THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY, 22nd OCTOBER, 1902, AT 11.30 A.M.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

AT THE MART, 199 PITT-STREET.

ON ACCOUNT OF WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

TO CLOSE ACCOUNTS.

10 COILS WIRE ROPE, 1¼, 1½, 2, 2¼, 2½, 2¾, and 3 inch.

500 BOXES PUCK'S MECHANIC SOAP. Each 3 dozen tablets.

150 MARGIN-LIGHT DOORS. 6ft. 6in. x 2ft. 6in. and 6ft. 8in. x 2ft. 8in.

Under instructions from the Importers.

16 Cases W. and G. CUPS and SAUCERS, each 60 dozen.
11 Cases W. and G. PLATES, 6 and 7 inch, each 100 dozen.
13 Cases FANCY CUPS and SAUCERS.
20 Cases ENGRAVED TUMBLERS, each 25 dozen.
5 Cases SODA TUMBLERS.
3 Cases MOSS ROSE CHINA PLATES.
5 Cases RED and BLUE LINED DISHES.
8 Cases GLASS DISHES.
8 Cases WINE GLASSES, assorted.
3 Cases ANTIMONY VASES.
300 Rolls GALV. WIRE NETTING, assorted sizes.
50 Bars JERSEY SPRING and TYRE STEEL.
20 Bundles SHOVELS.
1 Case MINCING MACHINES.
237 Sheets DAMPCOURSE.
5 Bales POT SCRUBS.

S. H. HARRIS AND COMPANY, late HENRY HARRIS and COMPANY, will sell the above at THE MART, 199 PITT-STREET, THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY, 22nd OCTOBER, at 11.30 a.m.

PADDINGTON, GLENMORE-ROAD.

IMPORTANT UNRESERVED SALE By Public Auction, TO-MORROW, THURSDAY, 23rd., At 11 Sharp, On the Premises, 53 ORMOND-STREET, near Glenmore-road, PADDINGTON.

THE DRAWING, DINING, HALL, and BEDROOM APPOINTMENTS.

Beautiful Roesner PIANOFORTE, full iron frame, solid walnut case, nearly new
Charming Genoa Velvet and Plush Bijou SUITE
Carpets, Linoleums, H. Rugs, Oilpaintings
Massive 9-piece Am. Duck DINING SUITE
4ft. Carved SIDEBOARD, bev. glasses
Rattan and Bamboo Occ. Furniture, Dining Table, and Chairs
A lot of well-bound BOOKS, by Eminent Authors
Beautiful Walnut O'mantels, Ornaments
Marble, Ebony, and Walnut Clocks
Table Plate and Cutlery, French China Dinner Set.

The Bedrooms are up-to-date, and contain a well-made Beaconsfield Bed Suite, Combination 4 to 7 Drawer Chests, Toilet Pairs, Toiletware, Carpets, &c., massive brass-mounted double and three-quarter Bedsteads fitted with raised end, wire and kapoc set, Blankets, Sheets, and Quilts.

2-roller Mangle, clear pine Dresser, Tables, Kitchen and Laundry Requisites, Plants, &c.

New Wright's Eureka Gas Stove, No. 437, enam.

E. HEBDEN BRODRIBB has received instructions from E. W. Hyndman, Esq., owing to his departure from Sydney, to sell by public auction, TO-MORROW MORNING, at 11 sharp.

THE APPOINTMENTS ARE NEW.

BELMORE PARK, CITY.

To Brokers, Private Buyers, and Others.

IMPERATIVE AND TOTALLY UNRESERVED SALE, FRIDAY NEXT, October 24th, at 11, by Public Auction.

The Handsome and Up-to-date FURNISHINGS AND APPOINTMENTS of a Large 3-Storey House, about 14 rooms, on the Premises, No. 248 Elizabeth-street, opp. Belmore Park, near the New Railway Site, city.

Superb Bord PIANOFORTE, large model, equal to new, a beauty
Massive Walnut Overmantels and Pierglass
Charming Genoa and Plush SUITE
Rosewood, Walnut, and Bamboo Occ. Furniture
Rare and Costly Ornaments, Oil Paintings and Steel Engravings
Massive 9 Pieces Real Leather Dining Suite
Almost new Table Ware, Services, &c.
Solid Walnut sideboard, 5ft., modern design, cellarette, drawers, cupboards, &c.
7 x 4 Dining-table, Chairs, Couches

The several Bedrooms have every necessary requisite, including
A Superb Beaconsfield BEDROOM SUITE
Lovely Solid Cedar Bedroom Suite
Combinations, Chests Drawers, Toilet Pairs
Toilet Ware, T. Glasses, Easy Chairs, Box Ottomans, &c.
A Splendid Lot of Very Superior
Single, ¾, and Double Brass-mounted ½-Tester BEDSTEADS, complete with best Double and Fourfold Wire Mattresses, new Horsehair, Kapok, and other Bedding, Blankets, Sheets, and Quilts
First-class Household Treadle S. Machine, equal to new
2-roller Mangle, large 6ft. enclosed Dresser, and Miscellaneous Sundries.

E. HEBDEN BRODRIBB has received imperative instructions to sell, as above, FRIDAY Next, at 11 sharp, Absolutely Without Reserve.

Rooms and Offices: 637, 639 George-street. Telephone, 2256 Sydney.

RAGLAN-STREET, MOSMAN, Near CANROBERT-STREET.

SALE BY AUCTION, On the Premises, MORSBY, RAGLAN-STREET, MOSMAN.

To be sold on FRIDAY, 24th OCTOBER, AT 11 A.M.

USEFUL MODERN FURNITURE and GENERAL HOUSEHOLD REQUISITES of Four Rooms, Kitchen, &c.

SIDNEY RAPER AND CO., AUCTIONEERS.

PROPERTIES FOR AUCTION SALE.

NEUTRAL BAY.—With Unobstructed Harbour Views.—31 Sutherland-street, a superior Brick RESIDENCE on stone, containing 6 large rooms and kitchen, wide hall, bathroom, pantry, fixed tubs, and all modern conveniences, land 50 by 180. Title leasehold, 78 years to run.

BONDI BEACH.—Waverley-road, opposite Waiting-room.—TEA and REFRESHMENT ROOMS, constructed of brick, containing large shop and tea-rooms, ladies' tea-room, kitchen, cellar, and 10 other apartments, with offices. Title leasehold, 94 years to run. Land 34 x 100.

BONDI.—Ewell-street, off Bennett-street, close to Tram, commanding a Good View.—A well-appointed new Brick COTTAGE, 4 large rooms, kitchen, all offices and modern conveniences, sewer, water, and gas, steel ceilings and exceptionally well finished. Land 36ft. 7in. by 135ft. to a lane. Torrens title.

TEMPE.—Cook-street, and close to Tram and Train.—D.F. Brick COTTAGE, containing 5 rooms, kitchen, bath, washhouse, copper, stove, fixed tubs, sewer, &c. Cottage nearly new. Land 36 x 136. Torrens title.

LINDFIELD.—Hornsby Line, Provincial-road.—2ac. 1r. 18p. first-class ORCHARD LAND, fenced, planted with fruit trees, with an iron room and brick chimney thereon. Torrens title. This property is well suited for orcharding, the owner having spent a large sum of money in having the land drained and trenched.

CONCORD.—Victoria-avenue and Brunswick-parade.—Lot 40, 33 x 140, an excellent BUSINESS SITE; also Lots 13, 14, 25, 26, 81, 82, 83, 84 and 87, having frontages to Victoria-avenue, Brunswick-parade, and Hanover-parade, all being portions of the Brunswick Park Estate.

PENSHURST.—150ft. to Victoria-avenue by 125ft. along Cross-street to a lane at rear, Torrens title, being Lots 18, 19, and 20 of section 1 of the Penshurst Township Estate. Torrens title.

ERNEST C. V. BROUGHTON has received instructions to offer the above-described, in the Rooms, Stock Exchange-buildings, 113 Pitt-street, on THURSDAY, the 30th OCTOBER, 1902, at 11.30 a.m.

WOODBURY ESTATE, DULWICH HILL.

Having frontages to MARRICKVILLE-ROAD (tram line), WOODBURY, HARRISON, and ANDERTON STREETS. Subdivision of Magnificent VILLA and BUSINESS SITES, in this highly popular and well-favoured suburb. Splendid elevated allotments, commanding delightful landscape views, being a subdivision of the ornamental and park-like lands surrounding "Woodbury," the late residence of J. S. Harrison, Esq. Good frontages, liberal depths, city water, gas, and sewerage.

At the sale will be offered, on a good area of land, "WOODBURY," a faithfully-built Residence of brick on stone foundations, slate roof, and containing 18 apartments and outoffices. Fuller particulars in future advertisements.

ERNEST C. V. BROUGHTON has received instructions to sell by auction, on the Ground, on SATURDAY, 22nd November, 1902, at 3.30 p.m., the above-described.

TO RACEHORSE OWNERS and OTHERS.

BOTANY, c.o. Park and Meridian streets, opposite the Australian Gold Company's Links.—Detached COTTAGE, 4 rooms and kit., splendid stabling accommodation; land, 55ft. frontage by 182ft. deep. Torrens Title. Vendor's Solicitors, Messrs. Robson and Cowlishaw, City Bank-chambers, 164 Pitt-street.

Sale in the Rooms, 113 Pitt-street, THURSDAY, 30th October, at 11.30 a.m.

ERNEST C. V. BROUGHTON, Auctioneer.

DO YOU LOVE FRESH AIR? If so, go up to Thornleigh and inspect 3 COTTAGES, known as Mrs. Bellamy's property, to be sold on premises, Bellevue-street, near the station, OCTOBER 25th, at 2 o'clock. Also, Furniture and Effects. Full particulars on application to MOBBS and HUNT, Auctioneers, Parramatta.

ATTRACTIVE LITTLE HOME, SANCROFT.

HOUSE and 70½ acres freehold land, parish Munna, fronting the Reserve, between the Guntawong and Piambong roads, 5 miles from Mudgee Post-office. A well-built new Brick House, with hall, kitchen, store, servant's and man's room, dairy, stables, buggy, hay, and cow sheds; 2-roomed Cottage in paddock, kitchen; garden wire netted, water laid on, half-acre wire netted fowl-run, few acres under cultivation, 4 dams and a spring.

CROSSING AND COX have received instructions from P. Stammes, Esq., who is leaving for England, to sell by auction, at their Rooms, Market-street, Mudgee, on TUESDAY, 11th Nov., at 12 o'clock noon,

The above compact snug little Property, all the buildings on which are new, and everything in splendid order. Optional to the purchaser to take about 200 acres of freehold land adjoining at £3 per acre.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., AUCTIONEERS and VALUATORS, SALES EFFECTED BY AUCTION OR PRIVATELY.

PROPERTIES LET, RENTS and INTERESTS, &c., COLLECTED.

ESTATES MANAGED.

Valuations Made for Mortgage, Probate, Selling, and Other Purposes.

SPECIAL Arrangements made for Valuing and Conducting Sales Locally of Country Estates.

WAHROONGA.

ATHELSTONE, a COTTAGE RESIDENCE, well-built and in an elevated position on Lane Cove-road, at the corner of Neringah-avenue, and only two minutes' walk from railway station. It is of brick, cavity walls, roof of best French tiles, verandah on three sides, and containing wide entrance hall, 7 rooms, kitchen, pantry, bathroom, and laundry, water laid on, gas available, grounds nicely laid out in grass plots, shrubs, flowering plants. The land, in area HALF AN ACRE, has 108ft frontage to the Lane Cove-road. TORRENS TITLE.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, October 24, at 11.30 a.m.,

The above desirable and comfortable Home, in a healthy and popular suburb. It is at present in the occupation of Mr. H. J. Noble. (6912)

GLEBE-ROAD, at corner of The Broadway and Glebe-road, that commanding Block on the curve of the above roads, comprising the UNIVERSITY HOTEL,

four stories high, and containing awning, two wide balconies, hall, bar, billiard-room, public-room, 20 rooms, cellar, bathroom, pantries, lavatory, stabling, &c.

THREE SHOPS, GLEBE-ROAD, Nos. 2, 4, and 6

THREE HOUSES, GLEBE-ROAD, Nos. 8, 10, and 12, each verandah and balcony, hall; two have each 6 rooms, kitchen, bathroom, &c.; the other 9 rooms, &c.

Total RENTAL is £542 2s per annum, of which the hotel pays £312 yearly and taxes.

A valuable corner situation at the intersection of two busy thoroughfares.

The Land has the considerable total frontage of 214ft. with varying depth lines, and is a Leasehold for 99 years, from 31st March, 1856, at a ground rental of £70 per annum.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEES.

Solicitors are Messrs. ALLEN, ALLEN, and HEMSLEY, of Equitable-buildings.

AUCTION SALE, FRIDAY, 24th OCTOBER, at 11 o'clock.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd. (6916)

IN A DECEASED ESTATE.

YOUNG AND COOPER STREETS, REDFERN.

TWO PROPERTIES, consisting of SHOP, corner of Young and Cooper streets; HOUSE, No. 41A Young-street; THREE HOUSES, Nos. 17 to 21 Cooper-street.

They are of brick, cemented, on stone, iron roofs, and containing the following accommodation:—

The Shop, awning front and side, 5 apartments, kitchen, bathroom, and washhouse.

House, No. 41A, Young-street, verandah and balcony in front, and containing half-hall, 5 rooms, and washhouse.

Nos. 17 to 21, verandahs and balconies in front, and each containing half-hall, 4 rooms, kitchen, bathroom, and washhouse.

RENTAL, £145 12s per annum.

LAND 44ft. to Young-street, and 128ft. to Cooper-street, width at rear 80ft., along a lane. Title, Leasehold, 55 years to run, at ground rent of £30 12s per annum.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 24th October, at 11.30 a.m.,

The above, in good letting position.

Messrs. PIGOTT and STINSON, Solicitors of the Estate. (6909)

ATHLONE-PLACE, a well-letting part off George-street West.

TWO HOUSES, Nos. 52 and 54, of brick on stone, slate roof, each 6 rooms, kitchen, &c., land 30ft. frontage, depth 79ft. through to May-street. Rental, £52 4s per annum.

TITLE TORRENS.

Messrs. Shipway and Berne, 113 Pitt-street, Solicitors.

AUCTION SALE, FRIDAY, 24th October, at 11 o'clock.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd. (6919)

NORTH SYDNEY LANDS.

PRINCES ESTATE.—Lot 31, a triangular Allotment, 97ft. 7in. frontage to Princes-street and 152ft. 9in. to Queen's-avenue. Lots 29 and 30 having frontages of 48ft. 6in. and 50ft. 8in. respectively, with depths of 156ft. 7¼in. to 120ft. 6in. extending back to railway line; a few yards off Blues Point-road.

LUGAR HOUSE ESTATE.—Lots 6 to 10, Section 2, each 40ft. frontages to Tunks-street, with a depth of 108ft. Lot 13, Section 2, having 40ft. frontage to King-street, depth 100ft., situate close to Bay-road station, and commanding unsurpassed views of the harbour.

ARTARMON ESTATE (First Subdivision).—Lot 2, Section 1, having 44ft. to Hampden-road, opposite the station, depth 150ft. back to a lane. Lots 28 and 29, Section 1, each 40ft. to Jersey-road, depth 150ft. back to a lane. Choice level building Land.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 24th OCTOBER, at 11 o'clock,

The above Lands, in attractive parts of the picturesque Suburb of North Sydney.

Torrens title. Plan on view at Rooms.

LIBERAL TERMS. (6917)

IN THE ESTATE OF THE LATE Mr. JOHN HINCHCLIFFE.

CHOICE BUILDING LAND.

NEWTOWN LANDS.

A. Lots 1 to 8, section 3, Rosewarne Estate, 100ft. to Commodore-street and 100ft. to Wells-street.

B. Portion of lot 7, section 2, Rosewarne Estate, 80ft. to Pearl-street, depth ft. along a lane.

C. Lots 18 and 19, section 1, Rosewarne Estate, 60ft. to Pearl-street, depth 95ft. along a lane, and back to lane at rear.

D. Lot 4, section 4, Bello Retiro Estate, 33ft. to Maria-street, depth 119ft.

E. Lots 28 and 29, section 4, Bello Retiro Estate, 66ft. to Wells-street, depth 119ft.

F. Lots 13 and 14, section 3, Bello Retiro Estate, 66ft. to Maria-street, depth 119ft.

G. Lots 36 to 38, section 3, Bello Retiro Estate, 99ft. to Wells-street, depth 119ft.

H. Lots 51 to 53, section 3, Bello Retiro Estate, 99ft. to Wells-street, depth 119ft.

STRATHFIELD LANDS.

A. Lots 41 to 49, Strathfield Estate, 450ft. frontage to Oxford-street, with a depth of 219ft. 6½in. to one side, and 201ft. 2in. on the other, also a triangular block of Land abutting as above, having about 130ft. frontage to the Redmyre-road. The whole area is fenced, and forms a magnificent Residential Site.

B. Portion of lots 1 to 4 of Messrs. Heyde, Todman's subdivision, having 540ft. frontage to Albert-road, with a depth of 250ft. along Merley-road.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 24th October, at 11 o'clock,

The above lands, Newtown and Strathfield. Plans on view at the Rooms. (6908)

SOUTH ANNANDALE, at 2d tram to Johnston-street.

HAZELMERE, a small but good COTTAGE RESIDENCE, on the north side of CORUNNA-ROAD, between Bridge-street and Northumberland-avenue, south of and parallel with Parramatta-road, Sydney side of Johnston-street. It is of brick, front tuck-pointed, slate and iron roof, tiled verandah in front, and containing hall, 2 rooms, kitchen and washhouse, back verandah, shed, gas, sewer, city water. LAND 30ft. by 120ft. back to land. TORRENS.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, October 24, at 11.30 a.m.,

The above attractive Cottage, which at a small expense could be enlarged. (6918)

NEWTOWN, in the centre of this populous suburb.

A Weatherboard COTTAGE, No. 8 WHITEHORSE-STREET, east of King-street South. It has verandah in front, and contains 3 rooms and kitchen, washhouse and detached stable. Land 20ft. x 105ft. on one side, and 75ft. on the other; width at rear, 17ft.

AUCTION SALE at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 24th OCTOBER, at 11 o'clock.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd. (6911)

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.

MARRICKVILLE.—3 ACRES and 4 prs. of LAND, corner of MARRICKVILLE-ROAD and MEEKS-ROAD, a few yards from tramline.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 24th October, at 11.30 a.m.,

The above Land. (6920)

1. SMITH-STREET, near City New Railway Station, and Markets.

HOUSE, No. 49, well built of brick, and comfortable with balcy., 6 rooms, kitchen, washhouse, bathroom, capital tiled yard, in good order throughout, land 15ft. x 100 back to lane. Rental low, 14s weekly.

2. LEICHHARDT.

40ft. frontage HEARN-STREET (late William-street) and 100ft. back to lane.

AUCTION SALE, FRIDAY, 24th October, at 11 o'clock.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd. (6903)

LUKE-STREET, RANDWICK.

NEAT and Comfortable COTTAGE of brick, cemented, slate roof, verandah front and rear, half-hall, 4 rooms, kitchen, bathroom, washhouse, land 45 x 129 ft. It adjoins Mr. W. J. Lillas' residence.

AUCTION SALE on FRIDAY, 24th OCTOBER, at 11 o'clock.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd. (6885)

PYMBLE.

Excellent Subdivision. BELLEVUE ESTATE, convenient to station and Head of River road. LIBERAL ALLOTMENTS as to frontages and depths. TORRENS TITLE. LITHOGRAPHS READY.

Areas vary from 1 acre to 2 acres. Buyers may consolidate a block. DISTRICT IS HEALTHY, and from many of the sites splendid views are obtainable. EASY WALK from railway station. Increasing train facilities are being provided.

TERMS: 10 per cent. deposit, 15 per cent. in 3 months, balance 1, 2, and 3 years at 5 per cent. interest.

AUCTION SALE, on the GROUND, NEXT SATURDAY, 25th OCTOBER, at 3 o'clock.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd. (6904)

MACDONALDTOWN.

A Two-story House and a Cottage, Nos. 25 and 29 BURREN-STREET, erected on land 30ft. frontage, with a depth of 114ft. 9in.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 31st October, at 11.30 a.m.,

The above, full particulars of which will appear in future advertisement. (6929)

WOOLLAHRA LAND.

THAT EXTENSIVE BLOCK, having 290½ feet frontage to the north side of FORTH-STREET, off EDGECLIFF-ROAD, with the great depth of 370 feet; the width at the rear is 310 feet.

*.* This Land adjoins Bracadale, the residence of Rev. John Walker, and opposite Pelham Hall, the property and residence of G. Norton Russell, Esq.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell at auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 24th October, at 11.30 a.m.,

The above-described Land at Woollahra. Title Leasehold. About 69½ years to run at ground rent of £30 per annum. (6912)

KENT-STREET, CITY.

A WAREHOUSE SITE, having 21ft. frontage to the west side of KENT-STREET, between King and Market streets, with a depth of 125ft., together with the Premises, No. 277 Kent-street, thereon. Torrens Title.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 31st October, at 11 o'clock,

The above Building Site, in a very active part of the city. Full particulars in a future issue. (6910)

MARSFIELD, a healthy and popular suburb on Strathfield to Hornsby Railway line.

HOUSE, with 4 ACRES and 32 PER. of land, on VIMIERA-ROAD, only 20 minutes' walk east of EASTWOOD RAILWAY STATION. The Dwelling contains 4 good rooms, detached kitchen, pantry, and washhouse; water supply from iron tanks holding 1200 gallons, well-built stable of 2 stalls, coachhouse and loft over.

Portion of the land is planted with apple, pear, and plum trees, in full bearing; the whole being fenced in. The Block has a frontage of 450ft. to Vimiera-road.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 31st October, at 11.30 a.m.,

The above delightfully-situated improved property, in an improving and advancing suburb. INSPECTION PARTICULARLY INVITED. TORRENS TITLE. (6930)

BONDI.

1. OCEAN-STREET, BONDI.—Ivanhoe, a Cottage, of brick, cemented, slate roof, verandah, hall, 5 rooms, kitchen, pantry, laundry, conservatory, land 40ft. 3in. x 181½ft.

2. DITTO.—DOONGALLA, a Two-story Dwelling, of brick, cemented, verandah, balcony, hall, 7 rooms, bathroom, kitchen, laundry, land 23ft. x 181ft.

Messrs. T. MARSHALL and MARKS, Solicitors for Estate.

Auction Sale, FRIDAY, 31st October, at 11 o'clock.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd. (6921)

CITY DWELLING.

A two-story House, No. 176 Macquarie-street South, between Albion and Ann streets. Land 15ft. x 66ft. FOR POSITIVE SALE.

Auction Sale at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 31st OCTOBER, at 11 o'clock.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd. (6927)

STRATHFIELD.

Detached HOUSE, erected on land having 50ft. frontage to ALBERT-ROAD by a depth of 227ft.; sewer connections, city water, nice garden, Torrens Title.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 31st October, at 11.30 a.m.,

The above. Full particulars in future advertisement. (6935)

BOTANY-ROAD.

CORNER of Boundary-street, Alexandria, next Redfern. VALUABLE Business Position, 50ft. frontage, depths about 90ft. along Boundary-street and back to lane, with Cottage, No. 2, and Office, No. 4, thereon. Worthy a range of shops, &c.

54 years' term yet to run at low ground rental of £21 10s yearly.

AUCTION SALE, FRIDAY, 31st October, at 11 o'clock.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd.

A Convenient Situation, within a short distance of Lewisham or Petersham Stations in the neighbourhood of highly improved Properties.

PETERSHAM.

A Detached COTTAGE, fronting VERNON-STREET, between Wardell-road and Fairfowl-street, erected on land 40ft. x 125ft. 9in. on one side, and 128ft. 5in. on the other. Torrens Title. INSPECTION INVITED.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd. (in conjunction with Mr. SAVARY T. RODD, 80A Pitt-street), will sell by auction at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 31st OCTOBER, at 11 o'clock,

The above attractive COTTAGE PROPERTY in a healthy and convenient suburb.

Full particulars will appear in a future issue. (6935)

HILL-STREET, LEICHHARDT.

TWO-STORY well-built House, of brick on stone, verandah, balcony, 4 rooms, kitchen, &c.; part of the land is vacant for other building if desired. Land 40 x 100 ft. An improving district, with tram facility of transit; known as Mr Winkle's, who intends to sell.

The house stands on about 13ft. of land. The balance of the frontage is vacant.

AUCTION SALE FRIDAY, 31st October, at 11 o'clock.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd. (6926)

VAUCLUSE,

via Rose Bay and Watson's Bay, opposite SOUTH HEAD LIGHTHOUSE, and continuing northerly along MAIN ROAD TO BAY. TRAM now being laid past the land. OCEAN and HARBOUR VIEWS.

The well-known Cricket Ground is a part of the present Subdivision on the Heights.

SECOND SUBDIVISION. LIBERAL ALLOTMENTS.

Buyers can consolidate into block areas.

*.* It would indeed be difficult to surpass this Estate in the loveliness of its Views of the Harbour, Bays, Villages, &c., and as commanding sight of all vessels entering in and passing out of the Heads.

TERMS: 15 per cent. deposit, 10 per cent. on balance in 6 months free of interest, or three-fourths of purchase money in 7 years at 4 per cent. interest, with liberty to pay off earlier.

DISTANCES: An easy walk from Watson's Bay steamers' pier; and TRAMWAY is now constructing to South Head, via Rose Bay.

TITLE IS TORRENS ACT. CHOICE SITUATIONS. LITHOGRAPHS will be announced.

AUCTION SALE, on the Ground, SATURDAY, 1st NOVEMBER, at 3 p.m.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd. (6880)

ENMORE.

FIVE GOOD BUILDING SITES and a DETACHED BRICK-BUILT HOUSE, fronting PERRY-STREET, ENMORE, opposite Cowper and Gordon streets. Handy to Tram (2d) and Park.

AUCTION SALE SATURDAY, 1st NOVEMBER, on the Ground, at 3 p.m.

LITHOS preparing.

Messrs. MAKINSON and PLUNKETT are Solicitors of the Owner.

RICHARDSON AND WRENCH, Ltd., in conjunction with G. E. GILL and CO. (6881)

BY ORDER OF THE PERPETUAL TRUSTEE COMPANY, Ltd., the Executors of the Estate of the late WILLIAM BURNS.

AUBURN LANDS, situate east of the Auburn-road, and only 1 minute walk from the station, comprising the following Lots of the AUBURN TOWNSHIP:—

LOT 12, Section 12, 40ft. to west side of SUSAN-STREET, between Queen and Beatrice streets; depth 165ft.

LOTS 8, 9, and 10, Section 12, 120ft. to west side of SUSAN-STREET, a few yards south of Queen-street; depth 165ft.

PLAN on VIEW at the ROOMS.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 7th NOVEMBER, at 11 o'clock,

The above choice Building Sites at Auburn. (6854)

A CHANCE. CENTENNIAL PARK ESTATE, WAVERLEY,

Close to the new and extensive Tramsheds and Depot, and adjoining the CENTENNIAL PARK, affording delight in outlook and health.

2d TRAM Fare from city. 5 minutes' walk from Denison-street tram. TORRENS TITLE.

*.* Note the terms: £10 per Lot deposit, balance monthly instalments of 10s per lot; interest 5 per cent., option to pay off.

LITHOGRAPHS PREPARING.

OVER 100 GOOD BUILDING SITES, WHICH MUST BE SOLD to Close Accounts, for AUCTION SALE on the GROUND, SATURDAY, 8th November, 1902, at 3 o'clock.

In conjunction with HENRY F. HALLORAN and CO., RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd. (6868)

ANOTHER OPPORTUNITY to acquire LAND in a DELIGHTFUL DISTRICT, possessing a SALUBRIOUS CLIMATE and within an easy distance of the CITY.

DARVALL ESTATE, situate between RYDE AND EASTWOOD.

A portion of this CELEBRATED ESTATE is being subdivided by Surveyor A. W. Stephen, and will comprise the new VILLAGE OF RYDE, immediately at the Ryde Railway Station, on the western side of the line.

QUARTER-ACRE BLOCKS and elevated VILLA AND COTTAGE SITES, on the highlands adjoining the new village. HALF-ACRE BLOCKS.

Torrens Title and Liberal Terms.

Auction Sale, on the Ground, ON AN EARLY DATE, due notice of which will be announced. RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd.

PYMBLE, Bellevue Estate.—Blocks, ½ ac. to 2 ac., close to Railway Station, on Ground, NEXT SAT. R. and W., Ltd.

LINDFIELD.—½ and ¼ Acre Blocks, Restholm Estate. SALE NEXT SATURDAY. Hardie and Gorman.

ORDER OF SALE OF SUNDRY PROPERTIES to be SOLD BY PUBLIC AUCTION in the Rooms, 86 Pitt-street, Sydney, at 11.30 a.m. TO-MORROW, THURSDAY.

BOWRAL.—Substantial Brick Cottage in MERRIGANG-STREET, 6 rooms, &c., stables and garden; also at the rear, and facing SHEPHERD-STREET, a weatherboard Cottage of 4 rooms. Executors' sale.

BOWRAL.—Off the MITTAGONG to BOWRAL ROAD, the well-known property KURKULLA, a substantial Cottage, with 15 acres of land. Executors' sale.

DRUMMOYNE, near the Gladesville Bridge.—Deep water frontage to PARRAMATTA RIVER, four Residential Blocks. Torrens.

MANLY.—12 Allotments of Land, frontages to DARLEY-ROAD, ADDISON-ROAD, and CLIFF-STREET. Executors' sale.

NORTH SYDNEY.—No. 54 JUNCTION-STREET. Shop and Dwelling, Land 25ft. x 130ft. Executors' sale.

ROCKDALE.—Cottage and vacant Land facing GIBBES-STREET, also Land at the rear, facing FARR-STREET. Executors' sale.

KOGARAH, HARROW-ROAD.—Detached Cottage, ESPERANZA, situate in a choice position. Torrens. Executors' sale.

ASHFIELD.—Detached Family Residence, ALBY, situate in CECIL-STREET. Torrens title.

REDFERN.—Six Cottages, Nos. 108, 110, 112, and 114 YOUNG-STREET, and two Cottages at the rear, built of hardwood weatherboards.

MANLY.—Detached Family Residence, LEONA, situate on the western end of the Esplanade, adjoining the residence of Alex. Dean, Esq. Torrens.

WOOLLAHRA, GINNAGULLA-ROAD, Bellevue Hill.—Highly-finished Family Mansion, TRAHLEE, standing in about 5 acres of ground.

GLEBE, LOMBARD-STREET, just off Glebe Point-road.—A Terrace of eight new Cottage Residences, rents £357 p. a. Torrens.

REDFERN, No. 40 BULLANAMING-STREET.—Brick Cottage, with large Stables at rear, rent £52 per annum.

NEUTRAL BAY, corner of BELGRAVE-STREET and WATERS-ROAD.—Two new semi-detached Brick Cottages, HEADINGLEY and GUILDFORD.

NEUTRAL BAY, WATERS-ROAD.—Two new detached Double-fronted Cottages, CHELSEA and SURBITON.

WATERLOO.—Brick Cottage, No. 7 MOREHEAD-STREET. Mortgagee's sale.

ROSE BAY.—At the corner of NEW SOUTH HEAD and NEWCASTLE-STREET, Lot 10, Section 1, ROSE BAY PARK ESTATE, 61ft. x 120ft.

CHATSWOOD.—At the corner of ASHLEY-STREET and SPEARMAN-STREET. Lot 1 of JONES' SUBDIVISION, 132ft. to ASHLEY-STREET x 165ft. along SPEARMAN-STREET.

RAINE AND HORNE, AUCTIONEERS.

BOWRAL.

By Order of the Executors of the late Dr. F. WILLFORD.

1.—The LAND has a frontage of about 90ft. to MERRIGANG-STREET by a depth of about 594ft. through to SHEPHERD-STREET, to which it has a frontage of about 132ft. On the MERRIGANG-STREET frontage is a substantially constructed Brick Cottage, containing 6 rooms and all offices, with well-laid-out Garden, and Stables of weatherboard, with two stalls, and coachhouse. Facing SHEPHERD-STREET is a Weatherboard Cottage, containing 4 rooms.

THIS PROPERTY IS IN THE CENTRE OF BOWRAL, IS SURROUNDED BY FIRST-CLASS RESIDENCES, AND IS IN THOROUGH ORDER.

2. Just off the MITTAGONG to BOWRAL ROAD. That well-known Property, "KURKULLA," built of stone and brick, and containing 7 rooms and outoffices, with 15 acres 3 roods and 5 perches of land. THE COTTAGE IS IN PERFECT ORDER, AND THE LAND HAS BEEN DIVIDED INTO GARDEN, ORCHARD, AND PADDOCK.

RAINE and HORNE (in conjunction with NOTT BROTHERS) will sell by PUBLIC AUCTION in the Rooms, 86 Pitt-street, TO-MORROW, 23rd OCTOBER, 1902, at 11.30 a.m.

DRUMMOYNE,

Close to the GLADESVILLE BRIDGE, and with DEEP-WATER FRONTAGE to the PARRAMATTA RIVER.

The LAND has a frontage of about 200ft. to the MAIN ROAD, with a depth on the one side of about 346ft., and on the other of about 274ft. through to the PARRAMATTA RIVER, to which it has an EXTENSIVE FRONTAGE.

IT HAS BEEN SUBDIVIDED INTO FOUR RESIDENTIAL BLOCKS. TORRENS TITLE.

RAINE and HORNE will sell the above land by PUBLIC AUCTION, in the Rooms, 86 Pitt-street, TO-MORROW, 23rd OCTOBER, at 11.30 a.m.

Lithos can be obtained from the Auctioneers.

The new Drummoyne tram passes the land, and will provide quick and convenient access to and from the city, and the property is surrounded by high-class Residences.

BY ORDER OF THE TRUSTEES IN THE ESTATE OF THE LATE T. J. HILDER.

MANLY.

One of the FINEST BUILDING SITES left in this Popular Suburb, and surrounded by first-class Residential Properties, having frontages to DARLEY-ROAD, ADDISON-ROAD, and CLIFF-STREET.

Lots 19 to 30, section 2, of a Subdivision of Portion of the EAST BRIGHTON ESTATE, with frontages of about 200ft. to DARLEY-ROAD, 200ft. to ADDISON-ROAD, and 320ft. to CLIFF-STREET.

THE ATTENTION OF INVESTORS AND SPECULATORS IS DIRECTED TO THIS ELEVATED AND CHOICE BLOCK OF LAND, WHICH COULD WITH ADVANTAGE BE RE-SUBDIVIDED.

FOR SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION, in the Rooms, 86 Pitt-street, TO-MORROW, 23rd OCTOBER, at 11.30.

RAINE AND HORNE, AUCTIONEERS.

Solicitors to the Trust: Messrs. BROWN and BEEBY, 44 Elizabeth-street.

BY ORDER OF THE PERPETUAL TRUSTEE COMPANY, LTD., as ADMINISTRATORS WITH THE WILL ANNEXED OF THE ESTATE OF THE LATE JOSEPH MACDONALD.

MANLY.

At the Western End of the ESPLANADE, adjoining the Residence of ALEX. DEAN, Esq., and occupying one of the CHOICEST RESIDENTIAL SITES ON THE SHORES OF THE HARBOUR.

THAT WELL-APPOINTED AND CHARMINGLY-SITUATED FAMILY RESIDENCE, "LEONA,"

for many years occupied by W. T. SMELLIE, Esq., and standing on land having a frontage of about 112ft. to THE ESPLANADE by a depth on one side of about 165ft., and on the other of about 172ft. through to GILBERT-STREET, at the rear.

THE HOUSE IS MASSIVELY CONSTRUCTED of stone, with slate roof, verandah and balcony in front, and contains imposing entrance hall, double drawing-room, large dining-room, breakfast-room, billiard-room, 6 bedrooms, dressing-room, bathroom, pantry, 2 kitchens, scullery, and laundry. Apart from the main building and built of weatherboard, with iron roof, are storeroom, workroom, also dairy and toolhouse.

THE HOUSE IS IN EXCELLENT ORDER, WITH ALL MODERN APPOINTMENTS, AND ITS OTHER ADVANTAGES ARE MUCH ENHANCED BY THE BEAUTIFUL AND PANORAMIC VIEWS TO BE OBTAINED FROM IT. TORRENS TITLE.

RAINE AND HORNE have been instructed to sell the ABOVE DESIRABLE PROPERTY by PUBLIC AUCTION in the Rooms, 86 Pitt-street, TO-MORROW, 23rd OCTOBER, 1902, at 11.30 a.m.

The attention of anyone in search of a COMPLETE HOME in this favourite marine suburb is invited to this property, which is for ABSOLUTE SALE.

Cards to view on application to the Auctioneers.

BY ORDER OF THE TRUSTEES IN THE ESTATE OF THE LATE T. J. HILDER.

NORTH SYDNEY.

No. 54 JUNCTION-STREET, between ALFRED-STREET and ARTHUR-STREET, and known as KENILWORTH HALL.

The LAND has a frontage of about 25ft. to JUNCTION-STREET by a depth along a lane on one side of about 120ft.

The BUILDING is of brick, cemented, on stone foundation, slate roof, with balcony front, side, and rear, and contains Shop, 5 rooms, Bathroom, with Kitchen and large Cellar in basement. Apart from the main building is a large open Shed built of weatherboard with iron roof.

RENT, £52 per annum.

ROCKDALE.

GIBBES-STREET and FARR-STREET, just off BAY-STREET and close to the RAILWAY STATION.

The LAND has a frontage to GIBBES-STREET of about 80ft. by a depth through to FARR-STREET of about 234ft., to which it has a frontage of about 120ft. On portion of the GIBBES-STREET frontage and next to VICTORIA VILLA is a detached Cottage built of weatherboard, and containing hall, 4 rooms, kitchen, pantry, washhouse, and bathroom.

KOGARAH.

DETACHED COTTAGE RESIDENCE, KNOWN AS ESPERANZA.

The COTTAGE stands on land having a frontage of about 60ft. to HARROW-ROAD by a depth of about 210ft., and is SUBSTANTIALLY CONSTRUCTED of brick, on brick and cement foundation, tuckpointed front, slate roof, tiled verandah on two sides, enclosed verandah at rear, and contains hall, drawing-room, dining-room, 4 bedrooms, bathroom, kitchen, pantry, and laundry. Detached, and of weatherboard, with iron roof, are coachhouse and stable.

THIS PROPERTY OCCUPIES AN ELEVATED POSITION, WITH PLEASANT AND VARIED OUTLOOK, AND IS EXCEPTIONALLY WELL BUILT.

RAINE AND HORNE have received instructions to submit the above Properties for Sale by PUBLIC AUCTION, in the Rooms, 86 PITT-STREET, TO-MORROW, 23rd OCTOBER, at 11.30 a.m.

Solicitors to the Trust: Messrs. BROWN and BEEBY, 44 Elizabeth-street.

ROSE BAY,

at the corner of NEW SOUTH HEAD-ROAD and NEWCASTLE-STREET.

LOT 10, SECTION 1, ROSE BAY PARK ESTATE, having a frontage of about 61ft. to NEW SOUTH HEAD-ROAD, by a depth of about 120ft. along NEWCASTLE-STREET.

This land is situate almost opposite the terminus of the electric tram, is cleared and fenced, and must eventually become a first-class business site.

RAINE and HORNE will sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, in the Rooms, 86 Pitt-street, TO-MORROW, 23rd OCTOBER, at 11.30 a.m.

REDFERN, YOUNG-STREET.

THE LAND has a frontage of about 49 feet 6 inches to YOUNG-STREET by a depth of about 145 feet.

On it are Nos. 108, 110, 112, and 114 YOUNG-STREET and TWO COTTAGES at the rear, all built of hardwood weatherboards. Five contain 3 rooms and kitchen and one contains 3 rooms and kitchen.

The Title is Leasehold, the lease having about 98 years still to run, and is FREE OF GROUND RENT.

TOTAL RENTS, £161 per annum.

FOR SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION in the Rooms, 86 Pitt-street, TO-MORROW, 23rd OCTOBER, at 11.30 a.m.

RAINE AND HORNE, Auctioneers.

Vendor's Solicitor: NEAL COLLINS, Esq., 81 Elizabeth-street.

ASHFIELD.

That Highly Finished and Commodious Family Residence, ALBY, situated in CECIL-STREET, and owned and occupied by JUSTIN J. O'NEILL BRENAN, Esq.

THE HOUSE IS MASSIVELY CONSTRUCTED of Brick on stone foundation, slate roof, verandah and balcony in front, balconies at rear, and contains double drawing-room (30ft. x 15ft.), dining-room (21ft. x 17ft), smoking-room, 6 bedrooms, boxroom, bathroom, pantry, storeroom, 2 kitchens, and laundry. COMPLETE SANITARY ARRANGEMENTS, connected with the main sewer.

At the rear are Stables, Coachhouses, with man's room and workshop.

The LAND has a frontage of about 139ft. to CECIL-STREET by a depth of 200ft., and is laid out in FLOWER and VEGETABLE GARDEN, with GRASS TENNIS COURT, FERNERY, &c.

RAINE and HORNE have received instructions to offer the above FOR SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION in the Rooms, 86 Pitt-street, TO-MORROW, 23rd OCTOBER, at 11.30.

THE HOUSE HAS BEEN BUILT WITH EVERY REGARD TO COMFORT AND CONVENIENCE; IT OCCUPIES AN EXCELLENT POSITION, IS SURROUNDED BY FIRST-CLASS PROPERTIES, AND IS CLOSE TO THE RAILWAY STATION.

GLEBE,

in LOMBARD-STREET, close to the GLEBE POINT-ROAD.

A TERRACE of EIGHT (8) NEW COTTAGE RESIDENCES, built of brick, cemented, on stone foundations, slate roofs, tiled verandahs in front. Two each contain half-hall, 4 rooms, kitchen, washhouse, and bathroom, and six each contain half-hall, 3 rooms, kitchen, washhouse, and bathroom.

LAND, about 136ft. to LOMBARD-STREET, by a depth of about 90ft. through to a lane at the rear, being LOTS Nos. 54 to 61 of the PALMERSTON ESTATE. TORRENS TITLE, RENTS, £357 10s per annum.

RAINE and HORNE will sell the above, BY PUBLIC AUCTION, in the Rooms, 86 Pitt-street, TO-MORROW, 23rd OCTOBER, at 11.30 a.m.

THESE RESIDENCES OCCUPY AN ELEVATED POSITION IN THE CENTRE OF AN EXCELLENT LETTING LOCALITY, AND SHOULD PROVE A FIRST-CLASS INVESTMENT.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.

WATERLOO. No. 7 MOREHEAD-STREET.

A COTTAGE, built of brick, front cemented, containing hall, 3 rooms, kitchen, and washhouse, verandah in front.

LAND, 15ft. x 100ft.

Leasehold Title, the lease being for 70 years from 7th June, 1869, at a Ground Rent of £9 10s p. a.

RAINE and HORNE will sell by Public Auction in the Rooms, 86 Pitt-street, TO-MORROW, 23rd October, at 11.30 a.m.

Mortgagee's Solicitor, NEAL COLLINS, Esq., 81 Elizabeth-street.

HARBOUR VIEWS.

BELLEVUE HILL ESTATE, WOOLLAHRA.

Plans. RAINE and HORNE.

BY ORDER OF THE EXECUTORS OF THE LATE JOSEPH THOMPSON.

WOOLLAHRA.

That highly-finished and attractively-situated Family Mansion

TRAHLEE,

occupying one of the choicest positions on BELLEVUE HILL, in this FAVOURITE RESIDENTIAL SUBURB.

Formerly the residence of Sir JAMES FAIRFAX, and at present occupied by Lady MARTIN. It is close to the residences of Sir James Fairfax, C. B. Fairfax, Esq., E. W. Knox, Esq., T. F. Knox, Esq., W. M. Allen, Esq., and is within 400 yards of the Rose Bay tram.

THE LAND has FRONTAGES of about 450 FEET to the GINNAGULLA-ROAD, about 450 feet to KAMBALA-ROAD, about 500 feet to FAIRFAX-ROAD and TRAHLEE-ROAD, and comprises a TOTAL of FIVE ACRES.

THE HOUSE is FAITHFULLY and SOLIDLY BUILT of stone and brick, cemented, on stone foundation, with verandah and balcony in front, and contains spacious entrance Hall, Dining Hall, Drawing-room, Library, Morning-room, 6 Bedrooms, 2 Bathrooms, Workroom, Kitchen, Servants' Hall, Butler's and Housemaid's Pantries, Storeroom, Cellar, Scullery, and 2 Servants' Bedrooms. Detached, and built of brick, is Laundry. Also, detached FULL-SIZED BILLIARD-ROOM, built of weatherboard.

The STABLES are of brick, on stone foundation, and comprise 2 Loose-boxes, Coachhouse, Man's Room, and Loft.

The Title is Leasehold, the lease being for 99 years from 1st January, 1858, at a ground rent of £50 per annum, but arrangements can be made for its CONVERSION INTO A FREEHOLD.

Attention is particularly invited to this WELL-APPOINTED HOUSE, as it is seldom that Properties of this class are in the market, and the numerous FIRST-CLASS RESIDENCES now in course of erection in the IMMEDIATE LOCALITY assure the character of the surroundings for all time. THE STATE GOVERNOR'S RESIDENCE is in close proximity, and the Electric Tram provides convenient and rapid access to and from the city.

RAINE and HORNE (in conjunction with RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd.) will offer the above by PUBLIC AUCTION, in the Rooms, 86 Pitt-street, TO-MORROW, 23rd OCTOBER, 1902, at 11.30 a.m.

THE GROUNDS ARE EXTENSIVE, AND THE NATURAL FEATURES OF THE BEAUTIFUL SITUATION HAVE BEEN STUDIED IN LAYING THEM OUT.

Solicitor to the Estate, JOSEPH THOMPSON, Esq., Vickery's-chambers.

REDFERN.

NO. 40 BULLANAMING-STREET, between CLEVELAND and REDFERN STREETS.

THE LAND has a frontage of about 30ft. to BULLANAMING-STREET, by a depth of about 95ft.

On it is a COTTAGE, NO. 40 BULLANAMING-STREET, built of brick, on stone foundation, slate roof, verandah in front, and containing 5 rooms. At the rear are STABLES built of weatherboard, containing 10 stalls, with large loft above.

The Property is in excellent order, having been recently renovated internally and externally. Rent, £52 per annum.

RAINE and HORNE will sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, in the Rooms, 86 Pitt-street, TO-MORROW, 23rd OCTOBER, at 11.30 a.m.

THE ATTENTION OF CARRIERS OR CAB PROPRIETORS IS ESPECIALLY INVITED TO THE SALE OF THIS PROPERTY.

Vendor's Solicitor: W. G. PARISH, Esq.

MOSMAN.

HOLT'S ESTATE,

ADJOINING RANGER'S ESTATE.

UNDOUBTEDLY ONE of the BEST POSITIONS IN THIS FAVOURITE SUBURB.

Close to the ELECTRIC TRAM, and within easy walking distance of the MOSMAN WHARF.

Frontages to SPOFFORTH-STREET, COWLES-ROAD, SPENCER-ROAD, and HOLT'S-AVENUE.

TORRENS TITLE.

TERMS.—10 per cent. deposit, and the balance in 36 equal monthly instalments, with interest at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum.

RAINE AND HORNE have received instructions to sell, on the Ground, NEXT SATURDAY, 25th OCTOBER, at 3 p.m.

Lithos can be obtained upon application to the Auctioneers.

Vendor's Solicitor: J. W. S. LUCAS, Esq., Citizens'-chambers, Moore-street.

By Order of the Mortgagee.

BINNAWAY,

on the Eastern bank of the CASTLEREAGH RIVER, about 22 miles from COONABARABRAN, and on the Main Coach Road between COONABARABRAN and MUDGEE.

Portions 26, 9-1, and 27, PARISH of BINNAWAY, COUNTY of NAPIER, and each containing an area of about 50 acres, and being the land comprised in Crown Grants Vol. 685, Fol. 145, Vol. 600, Fol. 28, and Vol. 550, Fol. 226 respectively, TOGETHER with the Building thereon, known as the EXCHANGE HOTEL and Store.

RAINE and HORNE have been instructed by the Mortgagee to sell the above by PUBLIC AUCTION, in the Rooms, 86 Pitt-street, on THURSDAY, 6th NOVEMBER, 1902, at 11.30 a.m.

Mortgagee's Solicitors: Messrs. DAWSON, WALDRON, and GLOVER, 109 Pitt-street.

PRELIMINARY ADVERTISEMENT.

MOSMAN.

BALMORAL HEIGHTS ESTATE,

THIRD SUBDIVISION, situate just off the MIDDLE HEAD-ROAD, and the proposed ELECTRIC TRAM to Middle Head and Balmoral will pass the land.

TORRENS TITLE.

EXTENDED AND EASY TERMS.

LITHOS on application to the Auctioneers.

AUCTION SALE ON THE GROUND, SATURDAY, 8th NOVEMBER, at 3 p.m.

RAINE and HORNE, Auctioneers.

ANDERSON ESTATE, CANTERBURY, just at the BELMORE RAILWAY STATION, surrounded by the CANTERBURY MAIN ROAD, BURWOOD-ROAD on two sides, and MOONEY-STREET.

The Owner has decided to afford those who desire THE VERY BEST LAND IN THIS DISTRICT an opportunity of acquiring it at the Lowest Price and on RIDICULOUSLY EASY TERMS.

TORRENS TITLE.

RAINE and HORNE (in conjunction with ANDERSON and CO., Randwick) will sell BY PUBLIC AUCTION, ON THE GROUND, SATURDAY, 15th NOVEMBER, at 3 p.m.

Vendor's Solicitors: Messrs. M'DONELL and MOFFITT, Mutual Life-building, George-street.

ANNANDALE ESTATE, ANNANDALE,

Close to the JOHNSTONE'S BAY WHARF and the BALMAIN ELECTRIC TRAM.

Liberal sized Allotments with frontages to PRITCHARD-STREET, YOUNG-STREET, HUTCHINSON-STREET and BRELLIAT-STREET.

Tram fare from the City 2d, and from Balmain 1d, and the Penny Ferry to ERSKINE-STREET is close to the Estate.

EXCELLENT SITES FOR MECHANICS' HOMES.

TORRENS TITLE.

NOTE THE TERMS.—One-tenth of the purchase money as Deposit, and the balance may be paid by instalments extending over FOUR YEARS.

Lithos on application to the Auctioneers.

FOR SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION ON THE GROUND, SATURDAY, 1st NOVEMBER, 1902, AT 3 P.M.

RAINE and HORNE, AUCTIONEERS, 86 Pitt-street.

ORDER OF SALE.

SHARES and PROPERTIES to be submitted by Public Auction, on THURSDAY (To-morrow), 23rd October, at 11.30 a.m., by HUGH DUFF and CO., at their SALEROOMS, 283 GEORGE-STREET.

SHARES. 2 CIVIL SERVICE CO-OPERATIVE.

LAVENDER BAY. GLENDONNEL, choice Water Frontage Residence, only 2 minutes from M'Mahon's Point. The residence is built of stone with spacious verandahs, contains 3 reception-rooms, 5 bedrooms, sewing-room, kitchen, 2 pantries, washhouse, and laundry, with uninterrupted views of the harbour. The land has a frontage of 50ft. to East Crescent-st., depth about 250ft. The grounds are artistically terraced to water's edge, lawns, choice roses, tree ferns, summer-house, &c., boathouse and landing stage.

CHATSWOOD. Mortgagee's Sale. VICTORIA-AVENUE, handy to station. Commodious Cottage Residence, verandahs on 3 sides, contains 7 large rooms, kitchen, bathroom, pantry, electric bells, &c., land 60 x 150; also good Site, 50 x 150, adjoining.

TURRAMURRA. Lane Cove-road, 3 minutes from station. Eurolie, artistic and substantially brick-built residence, with spacious verandahs, and contains wide entrance hall, large dining and drawing rooms, breakfast-room, 6 bedrooms, 2 bathrooms, kitchen, pantry, laundry, and all necessary offices and stabling. Land 3 acres, laid out in lawns, flower, fruit, and vegetable gardens. Land can be sold in lots to suit purchasers.

MOSMAN. Corner of Lennon-street, facing the Park, close to tram. Elegant Cottage Residence, known as FLORIDA, substantially built of brick on stone, 7 rooms, kit., bathr. with water-heater, pantry, and all modern conveniences, land 56ft. to Lennon-st. by depth of 142ft. along another st., width at rear 109ft.

GOSFORD. On the Penang, 5 miles from Gosford, known as Mountain Vale. The land comprises an area of 190 acres (C.P.), 15 acres being planted with apples, Jap. plums, pears, peaches, nectarines, persimmons, oranges, and lemons, and about ½-acre vineyard, permanent supply of water from large creek, never dry. W.B. cottage Residence, 6 rms., kit., stables, sheds, &c.

Full particulars from HUGH DUFF and CO., Auctioneers, 283 George-street.

LONGUEVILLE.

MOST PICTURESQUE SPOT on LANE COVE RIVER. Corner POOLE-ST. and LUCRETIA-AVENUE, 2 minutes from ferry, overlooking Woodford Bay. Views can never be built out.

LORALI,

Charming COTTAGE RESIDENCE, substantially built, brick on stone, tiled roof, spacious verandah (8ft.), and contains wide hall, drawing and dining rooms (16 x 13 each), 4 bedrooms, kitchen, bathroom (with water heater), pantry, laundry, &c., finished in very best style, with all modern conveniences, glasshouse, palmhouse, choice flower garden, fruit trees, poultry yard, &c., land 70 x 191, Title Torrens. Everything in excellent order, and must be inspected to be appreciated.

HUGH DUFF and CO. have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Sale Rooms, 283 George-street, on THURSDAY, 30th October, at 11.30 a.m., the above compact Home.

A SUBSTANTIAL RESIDENCE, Northerly Aspect, SUMMER HILL.

KYAMBA, No. 33, well built of brick on stone, slate roof, containing porch and hall entrance, drawing and dining rooms (connected with folding doors), breakfast room, pantries, kitchen, on ground floor; 5 bedrooms and bathroom on first floor, over which 2 attic bedrooms. ALL LARGE ROOMS.

Laundry, buggy shed, and stable, of W.B., iron roof, at rear.

The LAND has frontage to SMITH-STREET and SHORT-STREET respectively, 33ft. depth through 200ft. (about).

BATT, RODD, and PURVES, Limited, will sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, at their Rooms, 88 Pitt-street, on TUESDAY, 4th NOVEMBER, at 11.30 a.m., KYAMBA, as above described, A CHEERFUL HOME, standing back from the street, well set up, nice garden plots in front and at back, 2 minutes' walk from railway station, in the midst of good properties.

INVESTMENT AT SUMMER HILL.

BENSON-STREET,

On the Heights, seven minutes' walk from the railway station.

No. 39. A GENTEEL COTTAGE, well built of brick on stone, slate roof, containing wide hall, 4 rooms, pantry, bathroom, kitchen, laundry, verandah, front one side, and back (enclosed); in wing is annexe of W.B. containing 2 rooms, verandah, iron roof. Set well back from the street within a neat garden.

No. 41. A SUBSTANTIAL 2-STORY DWELLING, of brick on stone, slate roof, containing wide hall, 4 large main rooms, 2 smaller bedrooms, bathroom, pantry, kitchen, laundry, &c., wide balcony over tiled verandah, iron railing on stone coping in front, garden, lawn, &c.

LAND has frontage 158ft.

Title Torrens.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES, Limited, will submit the above to PUBLIC AUCTION at their Rooms, 88 Pitt-street, on TUESDAY, 4th NOVEMBER, at 11.30 a.m., IN ONE LINE.

Then failing sale, in two or three lots, as per sketch at Rooms.

STRATHFIELD or BURWOOD.

UBANGARRA, a COSY COTTAGE, well built of brick, slate roof, containing hall, 5 rooms, servants'-room, kitchen, 2 pantries, bathroom, verandahs, &c., STABLING of W.B.

LAND has frontage 50ft. to COOPER-STREET, mean depth about 176ft. TITLE TORRENS.

A nice residence in an assured neighbourhood, convenient to Strathfield railway station.

ENFIELD or BANKSTOWN.

A CAPITAL BLOCK, Elevated and Level, area, 3 acres 3 roods 20½ perches, frontages of 650ft. to each JUPITER and JUNO PARADES, by depth through 260ft., being lots 6 to 18 and 39 to 51 inclusive of ELYSIUM ESTATE. TITLE TORRENS.

BY ORDER OF THE PERPETUAL TRUSTEE CO., Limited,

The EXECUTORS of the ESTATE of the late Mrs. H. L. CHANDLER.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES, Limited, will sell by PUBLIC AUCTION at their Rooms, 88 Pitt-street, on TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 4, at 11.30 a.m., The above DESIRABLE FREEHOLDS.

In the Estate of Charles Clark, deceased. Under instructions from the Administrator, and by Order of the Court.

SOUTH WATERLOO or NORTH BOTANY.

IVY COTTAGE, of W.B., iron roof, containing 5 rooms, kitchen, verandah, &c.; in yard, stabling and loose boxes.

LAND 62ft. frontage to WILLIAM-STREET (just off King-street), depth 126ft.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES, Limited, will submit the above to PUBLIC AUCTION, at their Rooms, 88 Pitt-street, on TUESDAY, 4th NOVEMBER, at 11.30 a.m. FOR POSITIVE SALE, to close a trust.

SURRY HILLS, CITY.

SMALL FREEHOLD INVESTMENT. No. 65 LITTLE BELMORE-STREET, Dwelling House of brick, containing 3 rooms, &c., on LAND about 12ft. frontage.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES, Limited, will sell by PUBLIC AUCTION at their Rooms, 88 Pitt-street, on TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 4, at 11.30 a.m. The above, in a populous neighbourhood, well letting, rent 8s 6d per week.

BURWOOD HEIGHTS.

PRELIMINARY ANNOUNCEMENT.

BEAUMARIS ESTATE.

Subdivided into 80 CHOICE BUILDING SITES, with frontages to LIVERPOOL-ROAD, BEAUMARIS and BYER STREETS, with the BURWOOD TRAM PASSING the LAND.

TO BE SOLD BY PUBLIC AUCTION, on the Ground, SATURDAY, 22nd NOVEMBER, 1902, at 3.30 p.m. Liberal Terms. Torrens Title.

H. W. HORNING AND CO., Auctioneers, 56 Pitt-street, Sydney, in conjunction with MARSHALL AND DEMPSTER, 112 Pitt-street, Sydney. Lithos in course of preparation.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 8th, 1902.

LEICHHARDT.—AUCTION SALE on the Ground at 3.30 p.m.

PRINCES END SUBDIVISION.—22 very choice BUILDING SITES, good depths to lanes at rear, kerbed and guttered, street 66ft. wide, high position, 4 mins. tram. Torrens title; liberal terms, 10 per cent. deposit, balance in 5 years, with 5 per cent. interest.

Plans at Auctioneer's Office.

W. R. AINSWORTH, AUCTIONEER and Estate Agent, 4 Norton-street, Leichhardt.

SATURDAY, DEC. 6th, 1902.

LEICHHARDT.

AUCTION SALE ON THE GROUND AT 3.30 P.M.

EUROKA SUBDIVISION, Marion and Foster streets. 20 ALLOTMENTS.

Good Depths to Lanes at rear.

Easy terms, from £2 per lot deposit, balance in 5 years with interest at 5 per cent.

Plans can be had from Auctioneer.

W. R. AINSWORTH, Auctioneer and Estate Agent, 4 Norton-street, Leichhardt.

PYMBLE, Bellevue Estate.—Blocks, ½ ac. to 2 ac., close to Railway Station, on Ground, NEXT SAT. R. and W., Ltd.

ORDER OF SALE OF SHARE AND SUNDRY PROPERTIES TO BE OFFERED BY PUBLIC AUCTION AT THE ROOMS, 133 PITT-STREET, at Half-past Eleven a.m. THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY, 22nd OCTOBER, 1902.

SHARES in the CIVIL SERVICE CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETY.

HUNTER'S HILL. A Charming Waterside RESIDENCE, with an area of 1½ acres, situate close to the wharf, and known as Yerton.

RANDWICK. Massive Stone-built Family RESIDENCE, known as Astolat, Avoca-street and Frenchman's-road. Land 4½ acres. If not sold in one lot will be offered in subdivision as per plan at the Salerooms.

RANDWICK. Good Building BLOCK, 132ft. 6in. to St. Mark's-road, near Frenchman's-road.

CAMPSIE. Block of LAND, corner of Byron and Cowper streets, Midlane Estate.

BELMORE. ¼ acre Blocks REDMAN'S ESTATE.

HARDIE and GORMAN, Auctioneers.

NEXT SATURDAY, RESTHOLM ESTATE, at LINDFIELD, NORTH SHORE RAILWAY LINE. ½ and ¼ Acre Blocks. GORDON-ROAD and TREATT'S-ROAD.

Also, RESTHOLM HOUSE and 1½ ACRE. A Modern and attractive 10-roomed Residence, with grounds nicely laid out.

3 years' terms, 5 per cent. interest. TORRENS TITLE.

AUCTION SALE, ON THE GROUND, NEXT SATURDAY, OCTOBER 25, 1902, at 3.30 p.m.

HARDIE and GORMAN, Auctioneers. Plans on application.

KATOOMBA, 4 minutes from railway station.—KINTORE and INVERURIE, a pair of semi-detached Cottage Villas, built of W.B., and each containing verandah (enclosed), side entrance, and hall, sitting-room, 4 bedrooms, kitchen, and conveniences. Land, 60ft. to Park-street by depth of 200ft. Torrens Title. Backing on to the Congregational Manse, and close to the "Carrington." A most convenient position, good elevation, and extensive views.

For Auction Sale, at the Rooms, 133 Pitt-street, Sydney, at 11.30 o'clock, WEDNESDAY, 29th OCTOBER, 1902.

HARDIE and GORMAN, Auctioneers.

Katoomba is a very favourite mountain resort, and property convenient to the station is rising steadily in value every year. Inspection is invited. Photos. on view.

Estate of the late Miss S. H. Miller.

KATOOMBA.—Thomas Cottage, built of w.b. and iron roof, fronting NEALE-STREET, off CASCADE-STREET, containing verandahs front and rear, 4 rooms, kitchen (with stove), and other conveniences. Land 50 x 125. Torrens Title.

The PROPERTY WILL BE SOLD WITH OR WITHOUT the FURNITURE. The Cottage lets readily in the Season at 25s per week.

HARDIE and GORMAN (in conjunction with Messrs. PIERCY ETHELL and CO.) will sell the above Property by public auction, in their Rooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 a.m. on WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 29, 1902.

A NICE COTTAGE IN A GOOD LOCALITY, CLOSE TO TRAM.

LEICHHARDT.—A W.B. Cottage, MAFFRA, No. 26 HENRY-STREET, containing half hall, 6 rooms, kitchen, washhouse, bathroom, gas and water, sewerage connections, Land 50ft. to HENRY-STREET by 166ft. to lane at rear. TORRENS.

AUCTION SALE in the Rooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 a.m. on WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 29th, 1902.

HARDIE and GORMAN, Auctioneers.

THE D'ARCY WENTWORTH GOLD MINES, LTD., In Liquidation.

Under instructions from the LIQUIDATOR of the Company, the entire property, including Freehold, Gold Leases, Machinery, Stores, &c., will be OFFERED by PUBLIC AUCTION AS A GOING CONCERN, in the Salerooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 a.m., on WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 29, 1902.

Further particulars from HARDIE and GORMAN, Auctioneers.

THE BUSY SIDE OF GEORGE-STREET, BRICKFIELD-HILL, between BATHURST AND LIVERPOOL STREETS.

ABSOLUTE SALE TO CLOSE THE TRUST.

By order of S. J. WILSHIRE, Esq., Sole Trustee.

TO INVESTORS AND BUSINESS PEOPLE.

No. 624 GEORGE-STREET, occupied by Mr. Clack.
No. 626 GEORGE-STREET, occupied by Mr. Woods.
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ERECTED ON A HIGHLY IMPORTANT BLOCK OF LAND.

103ft. 11in. FRONTAGE to GEORGE-STREET, which includes the Covered Right-of-way 10ft. wide by a depth of over 81ft., with lane at rear. Plan on view.

The RENTS received are £1183 yearly.

The Site is Worthy the Erection of Modern Shop Premises.

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The above-described City Building Land and Shops.

Solicitors for the Estate, Messrs. FISHER and MACANSH, George-street.

Plan can be seen at the Salerooms.

A FEW MINUTES ONLY from the TRAM TERMINUS, BONDI.

5 GOOD BUILDING LOTS, WELL ELEVATED. DUNRICH'S SUBDIVISION.

Lots 19, 20, and 21, HALL-STREET, each 40 x 120. Lots 22, SOPHIA and HALL STREETS, 45 x 120. Lot 23, SOPHIA-STREET, 40 x 120.

TORRENS TITLE.

The Surroundings Are Being Well Improved.

HARDIE and GORMAN will sell the above lots by Public Auction, in their Rooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 a.m., on WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 1902.

PLAN ON VIEW.

THE MOST ATTRACTIVE SALE OF THE SEASON.

TRUSTEES' SALE.

PASSY ESTATE, HUNTER'S HILL.

This beautiful property has been subdivided by Messrs. Atchison and Schleicher into GOOD VILLA SITES and COTTAGE BLOCKS, and will be offered to public competition ON THE GROUND, SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 15, 1902.

5 Lots FERRY-ROAD (close to steamers' wharf).
12 Lots WOOLWICH-ROAD (proposed tram route).
3 Lots PASSY-AVENUE, opposite Passy House and adjoining Mr. W. A. Windeyer's Cottage.
7 Lots THE CRESCENT, including the triangular Block adjoining the Roman Catholic Church.

The POSITION is ELEVATED and CONVENIENT, the VIEWS VARIED and ENCHANTING, and the SURROUNDINGS GOOD.

The land has been highly cultivated—splendid ornamental trees of mature growth and shrubs, most of which can be preserved, give to the Estate a homely and sheltered character.

The following RESIDENCES on the Estate will also be offered:—

PASSY HOUSE and about 2½ acres of Land, as at present occupied by the Hon. Sir George Dibbs, K.C.M.G. It is a stone-built property with good accommodation, particulars of which will be given later on.

THE CHALET, built of stone with slate roof, containing hall, 8 rooms, kitchen, bathroom, laundry, 2 pantries. Occupied by Mr. A. W. Cornish. The Land, in area 1½ acres, fronts THE CRESCENT and the waters of LANE COVE RIVER.

WAITATI, built of stone with slate roof, contains hall, verandah, 4 reception-rooms, 4 bedrooms, 2 dressing-rooms, kitchen, bathroom, 2 pantries, &c. Occupied by Mr. Walter De'Haas. Stabling at rear. Land, half an acre, fronting FERRY-STREET.

W.B. COTTAGE of 5 rooms, &c., corner of FERRY and AMBROSE STREETS. Occupied by Mr. J. Schultine. Land, 50 x 151.

WEATHERBOARD LODGE of about 4 rooms, on land 76 x 154, fronting FERRY-STREET.

Title, Torrens.

Terms: One-fifth cash, balance in 1, 2, 3, and 4 years. Interest, 4 per cent.

Solicitors for the Vendor, Messrs. CAPE, KENT, and GADEN.

HARDIE and GORMAN have been favoured with instructions from THE TRUSTEES to sell by public auction on the GROUND, On SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 15, 1902. The PASSY ESTATE, HUNTER'S HILL.

Lithos this week.

Cards to view the houses must be obtained from the Auctioneers.

PRELIMINARY INTIMATION.

ANOTHER and VERY IMPORTANT SUBDIVISION of BERRY'S ESTATE, NORTH SYDNEY,

is now being prepared for sale, and will be OFFERED AT AUCTION ON THE GROUND DURING NOVEMBER, 1902.

ROADS ARE BEING FORMED.

The VIEWS of the HARBOUR and RIVER are extremely charming.

The Position is very convenient to the Railway and Tram.

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Magnificent panoramic views.
Wonderful terms.
All streets 66ft. wide.
Adjoining the famous Parramatta Park.
Splendid soil.
Healthiest Spot in County Cumberland.
Gas and water laid through the estate.

AUCTION SALE, on the GROUND, SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 1, 1902, at 2.30 o'clock.

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Free Railway Tickets on Application.

(For Continuation see Index to Advertisements.)

## Funerals.

FISHER.—The Friends of Mrs. C. FISHER are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of her dearly beloved HUSBAND, which will leave his late residence, Sutton Cottage, Day-st., Marrickville, THIS DAY, at 1.15, for Necropolis, via Newtown Station.
J. J. THOMAS, Funeral Director,
Tel., 58 Petersham. Marrickville-rd., Marrickville.

CABMEN'S UNION.—Officers and Members are invited to attend the Funeral of our late respected Bro., GEORGE WOODS; to leave his late residence, 494 Elizabeth-street, Strawberry Hills, THIS DAY, at 1.30, for the Necropolis.
F. B. MANSFIELD, Secretary.

BREEN.—The Friends of Mrs. MARY ANN BREEN and PATRICK BREEN are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved SON and BROTHER, John Thomas; to move from 78 Crown-road, Pyrmont, THIS (Wednesday) AFTERNOON, at 1.30, to R. C. Cemetery, Rookwood.
W. J. DIXON and CO.,
120 Oxford-street, and 183 George-street West.

BREEN.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. EDWARD BREEN are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved BROTHER, John Thomas; to move from 78 Crown-road, Pyrmont, THIS (Wednesday) AFTERNOON, at 1.30, to R. C. Cemetery, Rookwood.
W. J. DIXON and CO.,
120 Oxford-street, and 183 George-street West.

BREEN.—The Friends of Mrs. ELLEN BYRNES, GEORGE, MAGGIE, LAWRENCE, JOHN, and BERNARD BYRNES are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of their beloved NEPHEW and COUSIN, John Thomas Breen; to move from 78 Crown-road, Pyrmont, THIS (Wednesday) AFTERNOON, at 1.30, to R. C. Cemetery, Rookwood. W. J. DIXON and CO.,
183 George-street West.

HENDREN.—The Friends of Mr. JAMES DOUGLAS HENDREN are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his late beloved WIFE, Ellen; to move from his residence, 58 Shepherd-street, Darlington, THIS (Wednesday) AFTERNOON, at 1.30, for the R. C. Cemetery, Necropolis.
WALTER STEWART and SON, Undertakers,
Tel., 1544. 129 Bathurst-street.

HENDREN.—The Friends of Mr. WILLIAM HENDREN are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his beloved MOTHER; to move from her late residence, 58 Shepherd-street, Darlington, THIS (Wednesday) AFTERNOON, at 1.30, for the R. C. Cemetery, Necropolis.

HENDREN.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. GEORGE FROST, of Kellyville, are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of their beloved MOTHER, Mrs. Ellen Hendren; to move from her late residence, 58 Shepherd-street, Darlington, THIS (Wednesday) AFTERNOON, for the R. C. Cemetery, Necropolis.
WALTER STEWART and SON, Undertakers,
Telephone No., 1544. 129 Bathurst-street.

HENDREN.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. H. GLEESON are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of their beloved MOTHER, Mrs. Ellen Hendren; to move from her late residence, 58 Shepherd-street, Darlington, THIS (Wednesday) AFTERNOON, at 1.30, for the R. C. Cemetery, Necropolis.

HENDREN.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. C. MALLETT (of Camperdown), are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of their beloved MOTHER, Mrs. Ellen Hendren; to move from her late residence, 58 Shepherd-street, Darlington, THIS (Wednesday) AFTERNOON, at 1.30, for the R. C. Cemetery, Necropolis.

HENDREN.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. A. NEWELL, of Penshurst, are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of their beloved MOTHER; to move from her late residence, 58 Shepherd-street, Darlington, THIS (Wednesday) AFTERNOON, at 1.30, for the R.C. Cemetery, Necropolis.

HENDREN.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. J. HENDREN, Jun., are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of their beloved MOTHER, Mrs. Ellen Hendren; to move from her late residence, 58 Shepherd-street, Darlington, THIS (Wednesday) AFTERNOON, at 1.30, for the R.C. Cemetery, Necropolis.
W. STEWART and SON, Undertakers,
129 Bathurst-street. Tel. No., 1544.

HENDREN.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. H. M'ATEER are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of their beloved MOTHER; to move from her late residence, 58 Shepherd-street, Darlington, THIS (Wednesday) AFTERNOON, at 1.30, for the R.C. Cemetery, Necropolis.

HENDREN.—The Friends of Mr. DAVIN are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his beloved SISTER (Mrs. Ellen Hendren); to move from her late residence, 58 Shepherd-street, Darlington, THIS (Wednesday) AFTERNOON, at 1.30, for the R.C. Cemetery, Necropolis.

HENDREN.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. E. DAVIN are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of their beloved AUNT (Mrs. Ellen Hendren); to move from her late residence, 58 Shepherd-street, Darlington, THIS (Wednesday) AFTERNOON, at 1.30, for the R.C. Cemetery, Necropolis.
WALTER STEWART and SON, Undertakers,
Tel., 1544. 129 Bathurst-street.

WOOD.—The Friends of the deceased GEORGE FREDERICK WOOD are respectfully invited to attend his Funeral; to leave his late residence, 494 Elizabeth-street, Strawberry Hills, THIS AFTERNOON, at 1.30, for the Necropolis.
COFFILL and COMPANY,
Funeral Directors.
Tel., 424, &c.

WOOD.—The Friends of Mrs. GEORGE FREDERICK WOOD are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of her late dearly loved HUSBAND; to leave 494 Elizabeth-street, Strawberry Hills, THIS AFTERNOON, at 1.30, for the Necropolis.
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WOOD.—The Friends of FRED., VICTOR, GEORGE, WILLIAM, CHARLES, and ELSIE WOOD are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of their late dearly loved FATHER; to leave 494 Elizabeth-street, Strawberry Hills, THIS AFTERNOON, at 1.30, for the Necropolis. COFFILL and COMPANY.

WOOD.—The Friends of EDWARD WOOD are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his late dearly loved BROTHER, George Fredk.; to leave 494 Elizabeth-street, Strawberry Hills, THIS AFTERNOON, at 1.30, for the Necropolis.
COFFILL and COMPANY.

WOOD.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. LEMON and Mr. and Mrs. KANE are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of their late dearly loved BROTHER-IN-LAW, George Fredk. Wood; to leave 494 Elizabeth-street, Strawberry Hills, THIS AFTERNOON, at 1.30, for the Necropolis. COFFILL and COMPANY.

WOOD.—The Friends of OWEN, DANIEL, and JOHN RYAN are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of their late dearly loved BROTHER-IN-LAW, George Fredk. Wood; to leave 494 Elizabeth-street, Strawberry Hills, THIS AFTERNOON, at 1.30, for the Necropolis.
COFFILL and COMPANY,
Main Depot, Harris-street;
Tel., 424, &c. Central Office, 812 George-street.

WEST.—The Funeral of the late JOHN WEST, Esq., will leave his late residence, Warrata, No. 51 Wigram-road and Bell-street, Glebe Point, THIS (Wednesday) AFTERNOON, at 1.30, for the Necropolis. By request no flowers. T. DIXON, Undertaker, 29 Oxford-street, and 204 George-street West.

WAKEFIELD.—The Friends of Mr. ALFRED W. WAKEFIELD are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his late dearly loved WIFE; to leave 85 Garden-street, Alexandria, THIS AFTERNOON, at 1.30, for the Necropolis.
COFFILL and COMPANY,
Main Depot—Harris-street;
Tel., 424, &c. Central Office—812 George-street.

WAKEFIELD.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. ROBERT GLASS and NORMAN GLASS are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of their late dearly loved DAUGHTER and SISTER, Edith Mary Wakefield; to leave 85 Garden-street, Alexandria, THIS AFTERNOON, at 1.30, for the Necropolis. COFFILL and CO.

WAKEFIELD.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. CLAUDE GLASS are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of their late dearly loved SISTER, Edith Mary Wakefield; to leave 85 Garden-street, Alexandria, THIS AFTERNOON, at 1.30, for the Necropolis.
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Sydney, Pyrmont, Balmain,
Tel., 424, &c. N. Sydney, &c.

SMITH.—The Friends of Mr. THOMAS LLOYD SMITH are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of his late beloved MOTHER; to move from her late residence, Avoca Cottage, George-street, Rockdale, THIS (Wednesday) AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock, for Sutherland Cemetery, by 2.10 p.m. train from Sydney, via Rockdale. By request, no flowers. CHAS. KINSELA, Undertaker, Rockdale; and George-street, city. Tel., 993 and 6 Kog.

BOURKE.—The Relatives and Friends of Mrs. MARY BOURKE are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of her late beloved HUSBAND, Mr. Martin Bourke; to move from his residence, 256 Liverpool-street, Darlinghurst, THIS (Wednesday) AFTERNOON, at 2.30, for Waverley Cemetery. W. J. DIXON and CO., 120 Oxford-street, 183 George-street West. Tel., 598.

BOURKE.—The Friends and Relatives of Mr. WILLIAM BOURKE are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his beloved FATHER, Mr. Martin Bourke; to move from his residence, 256 Liverpool-street, Darlinghurst, THIS (Wednesday) AFTERNOON, at 2.30, for Waverley Cemetery. W. J. DIXON and CO., Undertakers, 120 Oxford-street, 183 George-street West. Tel., 598.

KANE.—The Friends of Mrs. M. KANE are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of her late beloved HUSBAND, Michael; to move from her residence, at Sutherland, THIS (Wednesday) AFTERNOON, at 3 o'clock, for Sutherland Cemetery.
CHAS. KINSELA, Undertaker,
Rockdale, and 765 George-street, city.
Tel., 993, and 6 Kog.

CROFTS.—The Relatives and Friends of JOHN, EDWARD, and RICHARD CROFTS are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved SISTER-IN-LAW (Jennie), Mrs. W. J. Crofts; to move from her late residence, Collins-street, near Tempe Public School, on THURSDAY AFTERNOON, at half-past 1, for the Necropolis, via Newtown station.

TWOHILL.—The Funeral of the late Mrs. ELLEN MARY TWOHILL, relict of the late David Twohill, will leave her late residence, Elizabeth-street, Zetland Estate, Waterloo, TO-MORROW (Thursday) AFTERNOON, at 1.30, for the Necropolis.
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THE Friends of Mrs. ESSIE WAKEFIELD are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of her beloved SISTER-IN-LAW, Edith Wakefield; to move from her late residence, 85 Garden-street, Alexandria, 1.30 TO-MORROW.

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## Religious Announcements.

CONGREGATIONAL UNION OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
37th ANNUAL SESSION.
WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 22nd, in Pitt-street Church.
10 a.m.: Devotional Service.
11 a.m.: Paper by Mr. J. HARKER—"The Church and the Social Life of the People."
2.30 p.m.: Business Session.
The Right Rev. the Moderator, JOHN WALKER, M.A., and Rev. Principal HARPER will attend as a deputation at 3 o'clock.
7.30 p.m.: Business Session, Elections, &c.
W. CUNLIFFE JONES.
W. E. HAWKINS.

CROYDON Cong. S. School Anniv., Sunday, October 26; preacher, Rev. Loyal Wirt, B.D.

DIVINE HEALING SERVICE, Queen's Hall, Pitt-st., to-day, 3, Pastor M'Cullagh.

## Horses and Vehicles.
(Continued from page 3.)

A GOOD Corporation CART for sale. Apply 57 Engine-st., Haymarket.

LINDFIELD.—½ and ½ acre Blocks, Restholm Estate. SALE NEXT SATURDAY. Hardie and Gorman.


COOL FABRICS FOR HOT DAYS.

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are now showing a full assortment of the LATEST WASHING FABRICS and Materials for Summer Wear.

White Dress Linens, 36 inches wide, 1s, 1s 4d, 1s 6d, to 2s 11d yard.
White Dress Linens, heavy make, 40 inches wide, 1s 2d, 1s 4½d, to 2s 9d yard.
White Linen Grasscloths, very fine and soft make, suitable for children's dresses and ladies' blouses, 36 inches wide, 1s 4½d to 2s 11d yard.
The new White Dress Linen, with invisible stripe, very fine and soft make, 45 inches wide, 1s 11½d yard.
Brown Dress Hollands, 31 to 42 inches wide, 6½d, 7½d, to 1s 7½d yard.
Flemish Linens, warranted thoroughly shrunk, 36 inches wide, 1s 2d to 1s 4½d yard.
Brown Dress Linens, the newest shade, 11½d to 1s 2d yard.
White Tucked Lawns and Nainsooks for Blouses, 1s 3½d to 2s 9d yard.
White Tucked Lawns and Nainsooks for Frockings, suitable for children's wear, 7½d, 8½d, to 2s 11d yard.
Ditto, with Lace Insertion, 11½d to 2s 11d yard.
Ditto, with Embroidery Insertion, 1s 0½d to 2s 3d yard.
37 to 42 inches wide Tucked Nainsook, with Valenciennes Lace and Insertion, suitable for Underskirts and Dresses, 1s 9d to 2s 3d yard.
Bishops' Lawns, 4½d to 1s 2d yard.
White Nainsook Muslins, 5d to 1s 3½d yard.
White India Linens, 5½d to 1s 8d yard.
White Persian Lawns, 9½d to 1s 8d yard.
White Swiss Book Muslins, 6½d to 1s 8d yard.

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## Public Notices.
(Continued from page 3.)

THE PARTNERSHIP hitherto existing between ERNEST MILLS and WILLIAM JAMES TRIBE as Makers of Artistic Furniture and Wood Mantels is this day DISSOLVED by mutual consent. All Debts due or owing by the said firm will be received and paid by Mr. W. J. TRIBE, who will continue the business in his own name at 399½ Pitt-street, Sydney. Dated October 20th, 1902. (Signed) ERNEST MILLS.
WILLIAM JAMES TRIBE.
Witness: JAMES CUNNINGHAM.

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BOOKBINDING.—First-class Letterpress HAND. Apply S. T. Leigh and Co., 155 Clarence-st.

BOOT TRADE.—Wanted 2 (two) good REPAIRERS. J. B. Campbell, 102 Princes-st.

BOOT TRADE.—Wanted, Assistant Packer and Makers. A. Hansman, Harley-st., off Mitchell-rd., Alexandria.

BOOT TRADE.—Wanted smart Lasting CUTTER. M'Donald, Queen-st., Chippendale.

BOOT TRADE.—Wanted, smart LINING-CUTTER. Hodges and Brett, 54 Cleveland-st., Darlington.

BOY wanted for warehouse. Enoch Taylor and Co., 22 York-st.

BOY, respectable, wanted for bookbinding dept. The Woodhill Printing Works, 127 York-st.

BOY wanted for printing, good scholar. D. S. Richardson, printer, St. Peters railway bridge.

BRICKLAYERS.—Wanted, Price for laying about 4000 Bricks. Apply 54 Phillip-st., back entrance.

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BUTCHERS.—Wanted, y. Man, used cutting cart, know Stanmore dist. After 9, Halt, 85 Geo.-st., Camperdown.

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Applications to be in the hands of the undersigned, by whom any further particulars will be given on or before 25th October.
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WANTED, good Shirt IRONER, const.; also, 2 good Starch Ironers. Centennial Laun., Forest-st., F. L.

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WANTED, useful MAN, for hotel, with good refs. Bank Hotel, King-st., Newtown Bridge.

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WANTED, a Lady HELP, willing to do housework, servants kept. M. E., Woollahra P.O.

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WANTED, trustworthy WOMAN to look after house. Mrs. Donovan, 91 Macdonald-st., Erskineville.

WANTED, a General Servant, refs. Apply after 2, Mrs. Pike, Kingston-rd. and Rail.-av., Camperdown.

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WANTED, Competent Girl as GENERAL. Apply Royal Hotel, cr. Crown and William sts.

WANTED, ELDERLY WOMAN for housework, references, 10 a.m., 38 Regent-st., near George-st. West.

WANTED, small GIRL, to mind baby. Mrs. Foote, near Costello's dairy, Queen-st., Alexandria.

WANTED, good Starchwork IRONER, day wages, North Sydney Steam Laundry, 13 Mount-st.

WANTED, a respectable Girl, 15 or 16, as Mother's Help. After 10, Gladstone, 10 Cutler-rd., Paddington.

WANTED, young Girl as light GENERAL, family 5, no shirts, good wages. A. R. C., P.O., Homebush.

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WANTED, nice little GIRL, mind baby (walking) and assist other girl. Norville, Albert-st., Strathfield.

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WANTED, young GIRL, general work, sleep home. Apply after 10, 24 Macquarie-st.

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WANTED, a young GIRL as general. Apply Nurse Pender, 457 Dowling-st., Moore Park.

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WANTED for Newtown, young General, 10s, sleep at home, pers. refs., no shirts. Y.W.C.A., 167 Q. V. M.

WANTED, Shirt and Collar IRONER, constant, no waiting. My Laundry, 427 Crown-st., Surry H.

WANTED, Girl as light GENERAL and mind child. Mrs. J. Hebbington, 13 Oxford-st., city.

WANTED, quiet, resp. Girl as GEN., fond children. Mrs. Wheeler, Melrose, A'dale-st., Ann'dale.

WANTED, young H. and Parlour MAID, refs. Twickenham, The Mall, Glebe Point terminus.

WANTED, smart BOY, used to newspaper run, refs. 10 a.m., 201 Livingstone-st., S. H.

WANTED, an active, reliable young Woman as General SERVANT, for two in family, personal references indispensable. Apply Mrs. SEA, 109 Victoria-street North, before 1 p.m.

WAITRESS, 3 hours from city, 12s, intv. 2.30; Cook, 1 fam., 16s; Gens., 14s, 12s; 2 M. C., men cook, £70; compt. Laund., 20s. LAYARD, 25 Elizabeth-street.

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